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ABSTRACT

This KIDS COUNT fact book details statewide and county trends in the well-being of North Dakota's children. The statistical portrait is based on indicators of children's well-being in seven areas: (1) population; (2) family composition; (3) economic condition; (4) child care; (5) child health; (6) education; and (7) children at risk. The report begins with an overview of the data's organization, criteria for data selection, data presentation, and data limitations. The bulk of the report then presents data for 8 geographical regions of the state, followed by profiles for each of the state's 53 counties, including multi-year trend data. The final section provides indicators, definitions and data sources, and summarizes North Dakota KIDS COUNT project activities over the past 6 years. Important findings from the report include a decrease in the number of children in the state; increase in low birth weight babies but a decrease in the number of mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care; decrease in the number of child abuse and neglect victims; increase in the number of high school dropouts; and a decrease in the number of children in families receiving TANF, but an increase in the number of children eligible for Medicaid. (HTH)



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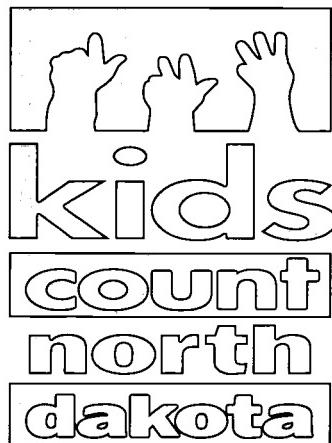
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Foreword

KIDS COUNT is a project of the Annie E. Casey Foundation, which seeks to track the status of children across the United States and within individual states. The national KIDS COUNT program publishes an annual *KIDS COUNT Data Book*, ranking state performance on ten indicators of educational, social, economic, and physical well-being of children. State KIDS COUNT programs publish yearly reports detailing child well-being in local communities where children live. Both national and state KIDS COUNT programs strive to document conditions affecting children in the areas where they live so that national, state, and local decision-making can more effectively address their needs.

The North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project is one of fifty state projects sponsored by the Annie E. Casey Foundation. It is housed in the University of North Dakota Department of Social Work, and is a collaboration of partners sharing responsibility for data collection, education, and public awareness activities. The *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book* is the seventh Fact Book published by the North Dakota KIDS COUNT! project. As with previous Fact Books, this year's edition has been designed to measure child well-being through seven categories of indicators reflecting critical issues for children from prenatal through adolescent stages of development. The front narrative sections have been designed to reflect the differences evident in indicators over the past several years for the state as a whole, and suggests important insights about their importance for North Dakota children and their families. This approach offers perspective and early warning about potential areas of concern, giving local and regional audiences a place to start in considering how children in these smaller areas have been affected by state trends. There is evidence that challenges do not affect North Dakota children equally. It is extremely important for local and regional audiences to carefully weigh evidence of unmet needs reflected in regional and county data pages so that their children can benefit from early attention to the issues which pose the biggest threat to their healthy growth and development.

North Dakota KIDS COUNT! is in its seventh year as a state KIDS COUNT project. During the past year, the project has continued partnerships with the Annie E. Casey Foundation, the state Children's Services Coordinating Committee, and the Dakota Medical Foundation. All of these organizations share a commitment to improving the lives of North Dakota children by promoting their health and well-being through a variety of activities. The support of these organizations is greatly appreciated, as are their respective efforts on behalf of North Dakota children. The Casey Foundation has awarded North Dakota KIDS COUNT! (in partnership with the KIDS COUNT programs in Nebraska and South Dakota) a grant to study the needs of low-income families and their children in rural areas. It is hoped that this rural collaboration will uncover new insights about the needs of families raising children in rural areas that will lead to better resource development tailored to their unique circumstances.

Organization of Data

The *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book* has been designed to offer child well-being data on county, regional, and state levels in a variety of formats. Our hope is to accommodate the many uses Fact Book readers have indicated are important to their respective applications of North Dakota child well-being data. The 2001 Fact Book is divided into four main sections: Overview, Data Pages, Definitions and Data Sources, and a Summary section. The Overview section contains a summary of state trend data over available years. "North Dakota Analysis" segments reflect change over time for indicators which can be uniformly compared. As a complement to this discussion, "Implications for Children and Their Families" segments offer insight about implications of trends for North Dakota child well-being. Data pages are divided into two components: background indicators presenting the most recent available child well-being information in seven categories of indicators; and trend data detailing three years of data for child well-being indicators that change yearly. Note that on the data pages, NA means "not applicable," while NR means "not reported." Definitions and Data Sources supply complete explanations about indicator definitions, along with information sources for respective data. Finally, the Summary section presents basic policy guidelines intended to help our state's youngest citizens realize their full potential. Data contained in the 2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book include Native American children living off reservations in all sections. Native American children living on reservations are included in Head Start data, Census data, Vital Statistics, child care data, and all education data, except special education data. All data referenced in this publication were collected by North Dakota KIDS COUNT! unless otherwise indicated. Cited data contributors are the final authority for all indicators.

Data Information

CRITERIA FOR DATA SELECTION

For the most part, data have been selected which best portray outcomes related to child well-being, rather than programmatic data reflecting only those children in a particular service population. Programmatic data have been used when they are the best or only available measure of children affected by a particular condition, such as children who are in respective special education categories. In these instances, caution must be exercised in assessing the actual number of children whose lives may be touched by a given situation, due to variations in the application of referral criteria. Overall, indicators have been chosen on the basis of their availability by county; the validity of data sources; the ability to convey a broad array of child outcomes; the extent to which they provide for common interpretation; the possibility of their being available over time; and their usefulness as a tool to track long-term trends in child outcomes.

DATA PRESENTATION

In the *2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book*, background indicators report the most recent data available for each category of child well-being, while trend indicators have been chosen to reflect important elements of child well-being, for which multiple years of data provide a meaningful lens. Together, background and trend indicators create a "profile" of child well-being for counties, regions, and the state. Readers are urged to refer to the "Definitions and Data Sources" section of the Fact Book for a complete explanation of data collection methodology for each indicator. Note the following changes in indicators and/or data collection methodology for the 2001 North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Book: "Juvenile Court" data have been modified to maintain consistency with new Juvenile Court reporting procedures, and will now be referred to as "Juvenile Offenses." These data represent the total number of offenses reported to Juvenile Court, rather than the number of referrals to Juvenile Court, and are not comparable to previous Fact Books. The multi-year trend indicator, "Juveniles Referred to Juvenile Court," has been deleted because data representing juveniles referred under the new system of reporting offenses were not available at the time of publication. Finally, because we are including the new subcategory of "Alcohol Offenses," with the "Juvenile Offenses" data, we have eliminated the indicator, "Juvenile Arrests for Liquor Law Violations."

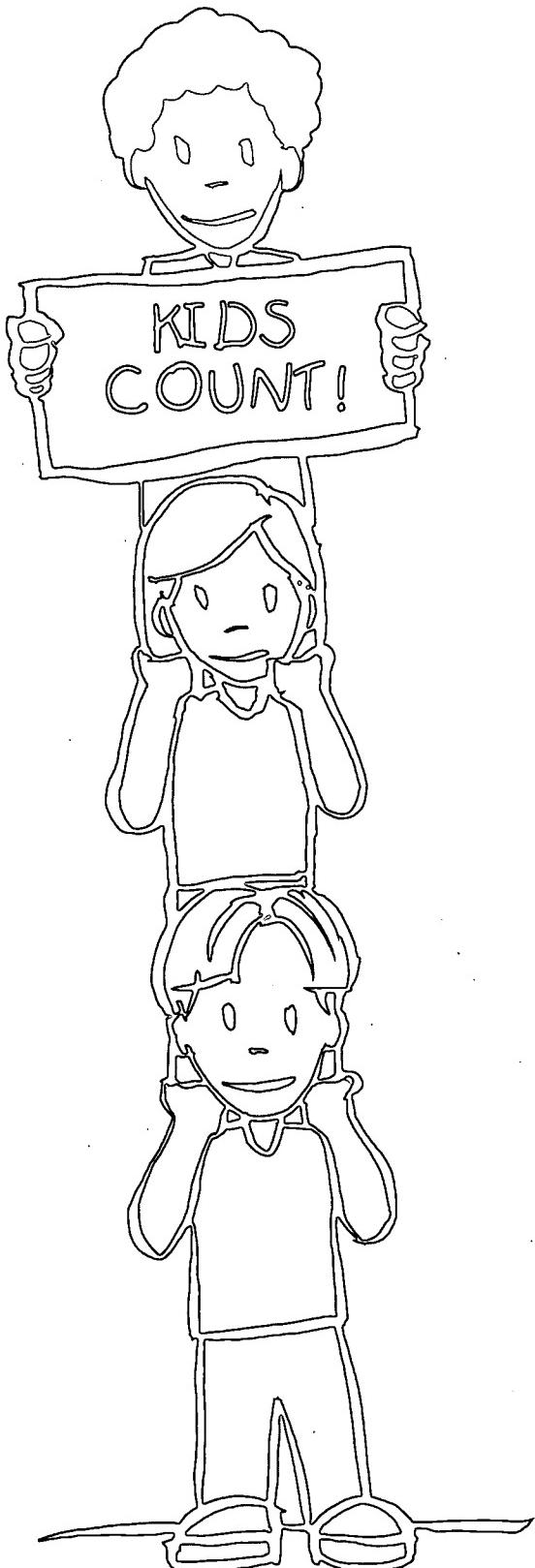
DATA LIMITATIONS

Perhaps the most significant limitation encountered in striving to report indicators by county is the fact that some data are simply not available by county. For example, neither immunization statistics nor the number of uninsured children is available for counties. An additional challenge is the fact that 1990 Census data, although eleven years old, are the most reliable data source for some North Dakota demographic data. However, this will change as 2000 Census data are released. More updated data sources for demographic information are typically based on averages which can be more difficult to interpret for counties with very small populations. There are also data sources, such as the yearly Youth Risk Behavior Survey, that cannot be reported by county because survey results are weighted to represent only those students who actually complete the survey, rather than all students by location. Changes in data collection methodology among data contributors also periodically affect comparability of data over years, as is the case with this year's Juvenile Court data.

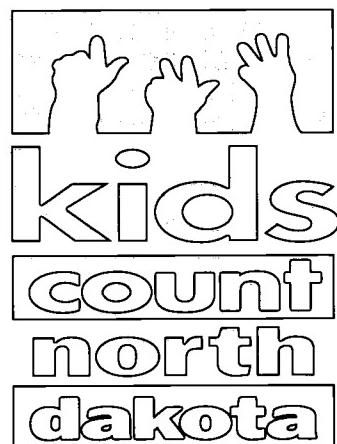
The Message Behind the Numbers

While the focus of North Dakota KIDS COUNT! is on the well-being of our children, there is also recognition that their successful journey to adulthood is affected by many factors beyond their control and sphere of influence. A reporter recently asked why the condition of children should be a concern... "whose responsibility are they anyway?" This question has haunted me and challenged me to coin a response that would motivate the many people who use North Dakota KIDS COUNT! data to move the obstacles that prevent too many children from reaching the peaks of their potential. The most simple and direct answer to this question is that it's the right thing to do. Generations of parents, teachers, philanthropists, religious leaders, and decision makers on all levels have played a role in creating the world we have bequeathed our children today. The difference about today's world and today's children is that there have been more disconnections than connections in families and the environments that once supported them. Most families require more than one income - sometimes even more than two jobs - to provide the basics for their children. Economic times have changed, resulting in lower wages for many parents, with fewer benefits. Technological advances have vastly improved communications, but created a global marketplace where competition is fierce and jobs are fleeting. Financial pressures are commonplace and the hope of providing high quality early education, in addition to the nurturing and tangible resources children need to grow up healthy are out of reach for a growing number of families. More parents are rearing children alone and facing the pressures of raising a family with little personal or societal support. Neighborhoods have lost their role as informal helping networks with families spending fewer hours at home. The pace of life is often hectic at work and at home, and children are in the care of teachers for the largest part of their days. Some go home alone to wait for their parents to return from work. To return to the question - "whose responsibility are they?" - everyone shares a stake in the success of every child. Partnerships among parents and grandparents, business, religious, educational, recreational, and other community resources must be supported by policies which enable them to reconstruct the web of support so vital to the success of every child and family.

Overview



There is increasing recognition that the ability of children to successfully reach adulthood is affected by many factors beyond their control and sphere of influence.



Population

FAST FACTS

- Between 1990 and 1999, North Dakota observed a 16% loss in the number of children ages 0-5.
- During the same time period, the number of children ages 5-9 decreased 17%.
- Only 4 of the state's 53 counties experienced increases in their child population during the decade.
- The number of individuals 85 and older has increased almost 32%.
- The number of white children under age 19 has decreased by 10% between 1990-1999.
- Children identified as Hispanic origin of any race have risen dramatically - increasing 41% during the same time period.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Population losses in rural North Dakota counties continue to affect the numbers of children living in these areas. Between 1990 and 1999, the state experienced a sixteen percent loss in the number of children ages 0-5, and a seventeen percent loss in the number of children ages 5-9, with the majority of counties also recording losses in the 10-14 age group. As the map below illustrates, only four of fifty-three counties saw increases in their child population during the 1990-1999 decade. This information suggests that families with young children have continued their exodus from the state, and this trend is expected to extend into the twenty-first century. North Dakota's steadily declining birth rate is also reflected in these figures. In contrast to declines in the youth population, the number of individuals eighty-five years of age and older increased in every county, with a total increase of almost thirty-two percent for the state as a whole during the past ten years.

The ethnic diversity of the state's children has continued to change during the past ten years. The number of white children under age nineteen has decreased by ten percent between 1990 and 1999, while the number of children identified as Black, American Indian, or Asian has increased by at least ten percent for each ethnic group. Children identified as Hispanic origin of any race have risen dramatically - increasing forty-one percent during the past decade.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN PERSONS AGES 0-18 IN NORTH DAKOTA COUNTIES: 1990-1999



Population

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- With the growth of the elderly population and the decline of the youth population, the needs of these two dependent groups will increasingly be competing for resources difficult to obtain. The key is for leaders on all levels to explore solutions that can effectively address the needs of both groups in their local communities.
- Almost half of North Dakota's population resides in rural places, compared to 24.8% for the United States as a whole. Ensuring rural children the resources they need to successfully reach adulthood challenges local communities to connect families with the supports they need to successfully raise their children (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- A recent study finds that North Dakota outranks many states in "quality of life" measures, but falls almost last in net-migration, the formation of new companies, long-term economic growth, and average annual pay. Clearly, economic development strategies that support families are key to the revitalization of communities ("North Dakota Dead Last in Employment Growth," 2000).
- With some 65% of North Dakota public schools located in rural areas, and 35% of rural schools experiencing enrollment declines of at least 10%, policies tailored specifically to rural education are critical to the state's educational performance (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- As service-sector jobs have replaced higher paying employment opportunities in many rural areas, policies that address needs such as child care and health benefits become essential elements in the repopulation and revitalization of rural communities (Lichter, et.al., 1995).

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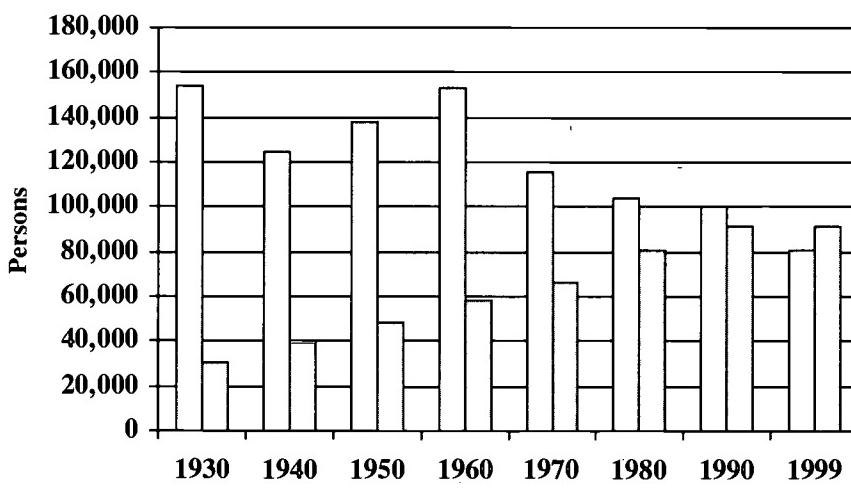
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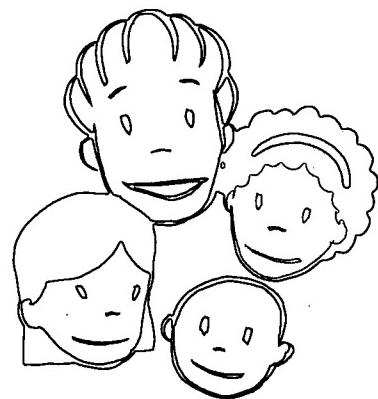
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NORTH DAKOTA CHILDREN AND ELDERLY TRENDS : 1930-1999



□ Children Less than 10 Years □ Persons 65 Years and Older



Family Composition

FAST FACTS

- Over the past 10 years, North Dakota has experienced a 38% increase in the percent of families with children headed by a single parent.
- Between 1993 and 1999, the number of North Dakota children in foster care increased 19% - from 1,441 to 1,716.
- Of children in foster care, some 35% have needs requiring residential placements.
- 22% of North Dakota children live with parents who do not have full-time, year-round employment.

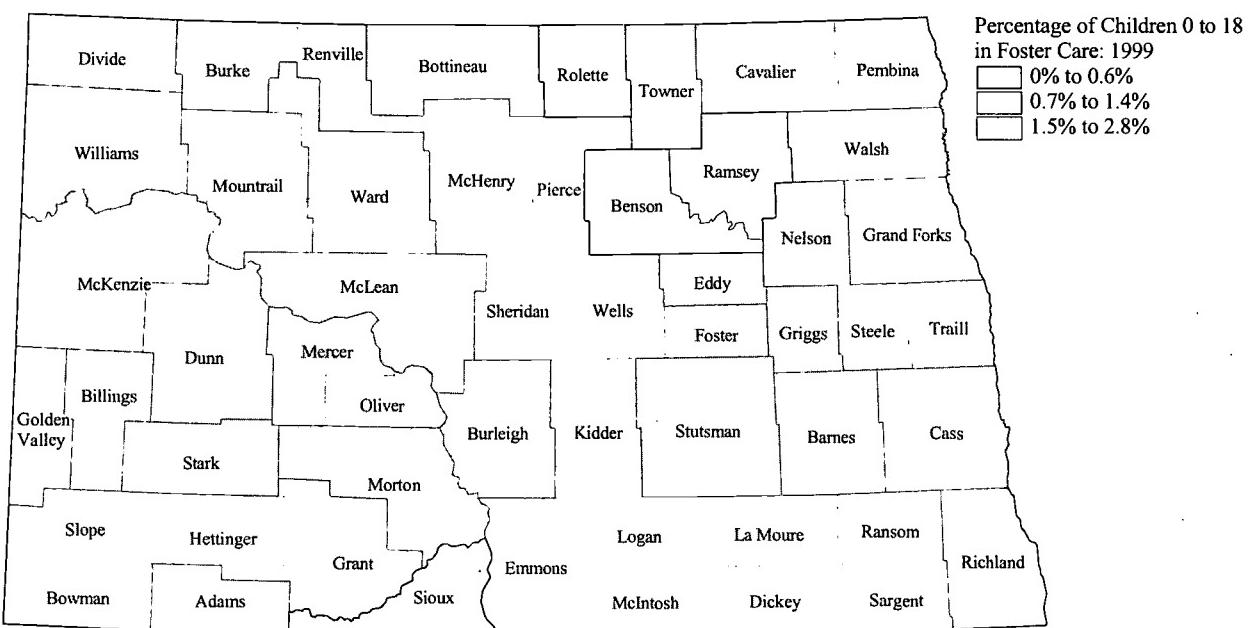
NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

North Dakota families evidence similar changes in structure as families do across the United States. Despite a thirty-eight percent increase in the percent of families with children headed by a single parent over the past ten years, North Dakota continues to rank very favorably on this measure when compared to other states.

A variety of factors, in addition to family structure, impact family functioning with both positive and negative consequences for children. Some North Dakota families struggle to maintain an atmosphere that provides for the safety of their children, as illustrated in the persistent growth of foster care placements. Between 1993 and 1999, the number of children in foster care increased nineteen percent - from 1,441 to 1,716. Of those children in foster care, thirty-five percent have needs that require residential placements, often taking them out of their home communities. The number of children in residential placements has also increased since 1993.

Some twenty-two percent of North Dakota children live with parents whose employment situations are not full-time, year-round sources of income, which often causes increased family stress and may also threaten the solidarity of their families.

PERCENTAGE OF NORTH DAKOTA CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE: 1999



Family Composition

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

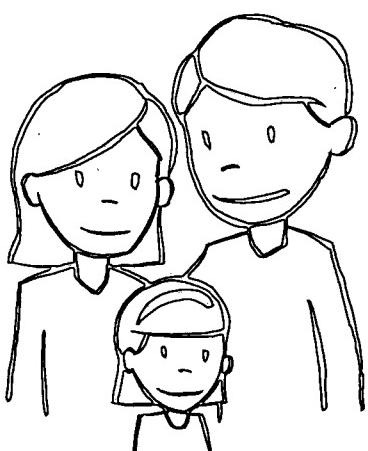
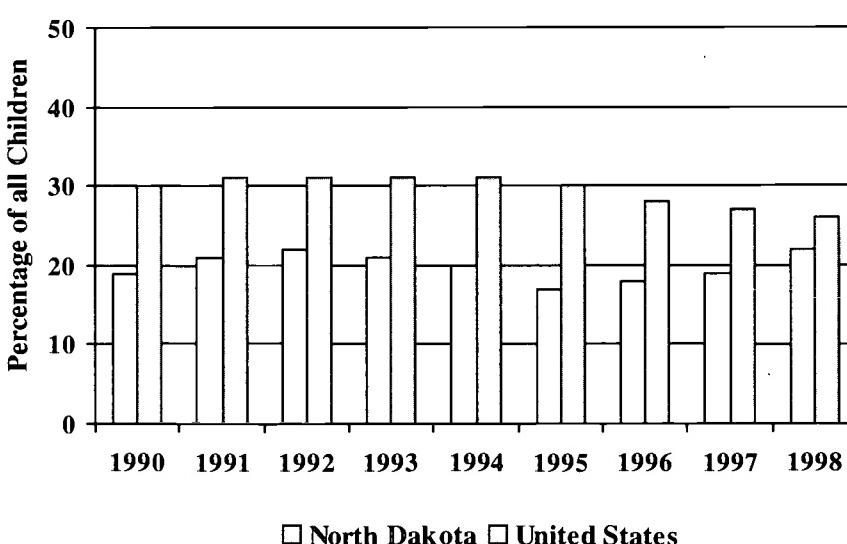
- With the majority of children - 75% of white children and 94% of black children - expected to live in a family headed by a single parent before reaching the age of eighteen, the availability of community-based family support systems becomes a critical link in helping children grow up successfully (Walker, et.al., 1999).
- As families headed by single parents have become the fastest growing segment of American families, more research attention has been focused on child custody arrangements. Notable findings suggest that in cases of divorce, the specific pattern of child custody is less influential on child well-being than emotional stability of the parents and the extent to which ongoing conflict affects their relationship (Walker, et.al., 1999).
- Focus group research involving youth who had been placed in foster care reveals these young people are often capable of making meaningful contributions to determining their living arrangements. They can be helpful in assessing difficult family situations and resources in crafting a strength-based system of family interventions. Based on this evidence, there is growing support for the involvement of foster youth with child welfare professionals in the foster care planning process (Knipe and Warren, 1999).
- The importance of having a father actively involved in the lives of their children has received more attention as awareness has grown about the significant non-financial contributions fathers make to the lives of their children. Many projects have demonstrated that non-custodial fathers can become part of a child's resource network, as nurturers, teachers, disciplinarians, role models, and friends, if they are appropriately supported in carrying out their role (Sylvester and Reich, 2000).

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CHILDREN LIVING WITH PARENTS WHO DO NOT HAVE FULL-TIME, YEAR-FOUND EMPLOYMENT: 1990-1998



Economic Condition

FAST FACTS

- Over half of North Dakota's 53 counties have child poverty rates exceeding the state average of 16.8%.
- 24 of the state's counties have poverty rates between 17.6% and 27.8%.
- The number of children receiving TANF has fallen from 16,052 in 1996 to 11,804 in 1999.
- During the same time period, the number of children eligible for Medicaid has increased from 18,275 to 22,431.
- Changing enrollment numbers may point to an increasing number of children whose families face economic challenges, but are not eligible for benefits according to current income assistance guidelines.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

In over half of North Dakota's fifty-three counties, the child poverty rate exceeds the state average of 16.8 percent. A growing number of working poor families may be reflected in the twenty-four counties with poverty rates between 17.6 percent and 27.8 percent (see below map). As fewer families are eligible for Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) benefits, enrollment numbers for this program have continued to decline for children under the age of twenty-one, falling from 16,052 in 1996 to 11,804 in 1999. During the same time period, children eligible for Medicaid have steadily increased from 18,275 to 22,431, reflecting the ongoing needs of low-income children. Similarly, the growing proportion of children who are eligible for free and reduced-price lunch may point to an increasing number of children whose families face economic challenges, but are not eligible for benefits according to current income assistance guidelines. Decreasing eligibility of children for the Food Stamp Program - from 29,548 in 1996 to 27,944 in 1999 - reflects this circumstance, as well.

The median income for North Dakota families with children under age eighteen was \$30,020, according to 1990 Census data. While 2000 Census data are not yet available, more recent estimates for 1998 suggest that North Dakota's median income of families with children is \$38,600, compared to \$45,600 nationally, and ranking the state forty-second among all states on this measure (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001).

PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN AGES 0 TO 18 IN POVERTY: 1997



Economic Condition

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- For children growing up in single-parent families, child support payments can be a significant factor in the family's economic security. In North Dakota during 1998, 49% of female-headed families were receiving child support or alimony (*KIDS COUNT Data Book*, 2001). However, of the 40,783 total cases in the North Dakota child support enforcement system during 1998, 73% received no payments (*Child Support Enforcement*, 2000).
- As a federal tax credit for low and moderate income families, the Earned Income Tax Credit can lift working families out of poverty. A recent study of North Dakota TEEM program participants notes that the EITC can provide more than two-thirds of the annual TEEM benefits for a family of three; however, many families are not aware of their eligibility for this credit (London, et.al., 2000).
- Federally-funded school lunch programs provide essential nutrition to an average of 28,744 low-income North Dakota children daily, while school breakfast programs serve only 8,911 low-income children. Increasing the number of schools that offer the breakfast program would further strengthen the ability of low-income families to meet their children's nutritional needs (*State of the States*, 2000).
- A recent evaluation report for North Dakota's TEEM program finds that prior to leaving the program, participants are not always made aware of ongoing services to which they are entitled after leaving the program: notably, Food Stamps, Medicaid, and LIHEAP. In addition, eligibility for child care assistance requires a separate application process which may affect the number of parents who request this help (London, et.al., 2000).

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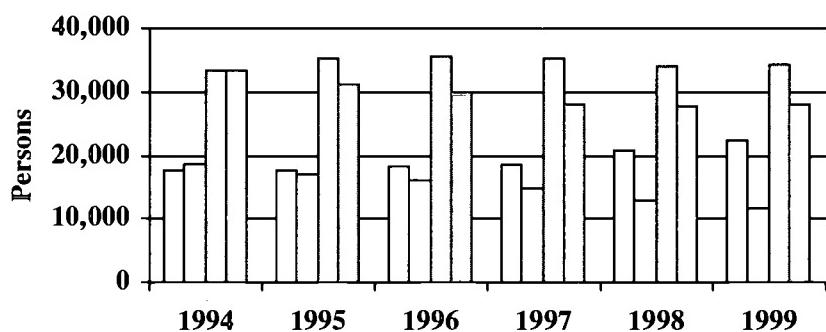
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NORTH DAKOTA CHILD ECONOMIC INDICATORS: 1994-1999



- Persons Under 21: Eligible Recipients of Medicaid Only
- Persons Under 21: Eligible Recipients of AFDC/TANF and Medicaid
- Persons Under 18: Eligible Recipients of Free/Reduced Price Lunch
- Persons Under 18: Eligible Recipients of Food Stamps



Child Care

FAST FACTS

- The number of licensed child care providers has decreased from 2,062 in 1999 to 1,872 in 2000.
- The number of children for whom licensed providers can care has decreased four percent.
- Licensed child care providers have the capacity to care for about 26% of children who potentially need care.
- 84% of North Dakota children under age 6 live with working parents, compared to 66% nationally.
- Only 12% of families eligible for child care subsidies receive these benefits.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

Between 1999 and 2000, North Dakota saw a decrease in the number of licensed child care providers, from 2,062 to 1,872. This decrease continues a five-year downward trend in the number of licensed child care providers across the state. The number of children for whom licensed providers can care has decreased four percent - from 32,137 in 1999 to 30,894 in 2000, and child care shortages are most evident in the smaller counties (see below map). Licensed child care is available for about twenty-six percent of the children under age fourteen who are potentially in need of care. The need for resources is evident in recent estimates suggesting that eighty-four percent of North Dakota children under age six live with working parents, compared to sixty-six percent nationally. Seventy percent of six to twelve year old North Dakota children live with working parents, compared to fifty-five percent nationally (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2000).

Perhaps the families with the steepest hill to climb in order to access and afford child care are the thirty-one percent who work very hard, often at more than one job, but still fall in the ranks of the working poor (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001). Some 51,000 North Dakota children under the age of eighteen live in working poor families, yet only twelve percent of families eligible for child care subsidies receive these benefits (Cauthen, et.al., 2000).

LICENSED CHILD CARE CAPACITY AS A PERCENTAGE OF CHILDREN UNDER AGE 14: 2000



Child Care

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- Recent research reveals that most parents view their responsibility to choose the best early care and education resources for their children as an intensely personal family decision. They value support for their role as decision makers and the availability of resources that fit their individual family needs ("Necessary Compromises," 2000).
- In light of scientific evidence underscoring the importance of early brain development for optimal growth and development, investments in positive early education opportunities can be an important strategy in helping families tip the balance toward more positive outcomes for their children (*From Neurons to Neighborhoods*, 2000).
- Because low-income families are more stretched in providing for their children's needs, studies have found their children have the most to gain from high quality early education opportunities and the most to lose from lower quality experiences. This evidence points to the importance of improving early education opportunities for all children, who will face increasingly complex educational demands in the 21st century ("Necessary Compromises," 2000; *From Neurons to Neighborhoods*, 2000).
- Every state faces the challenge of deciding how to best support early care and learning opportunities for its youngest citizens. North Dakota has supplemented Early Head Start using Temporary Assistance for Needy Families funds during fiscal year 2000, and has created a five-year comprehensive early care and education plan to prioritize areas for action (Cauthen, et.al., 2000). These steps signify important progress toward earlier investments in child well-being.

"Investments in positive early education opportunities can be an important strategy in helping families tip the balance toward more positive outcomes for their children."

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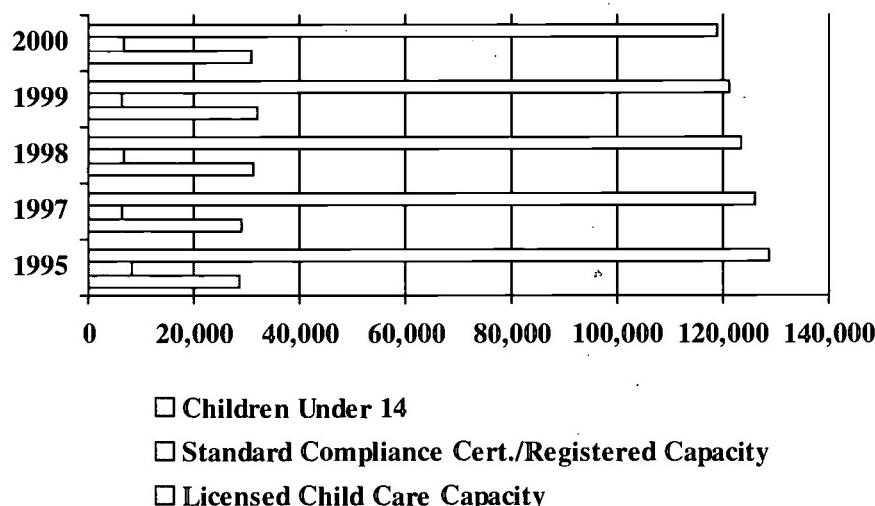
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NORTH DAKOTA CHILD CARE CAPACITY: 1995 & 1997-2000



Child Health

FAST FACTS

- The trend of low birth weight babies over the last decade has shown an increase, despite the declining birth rate during the same time period.
- There was a 24% decrease in infants deaths between 1998 and 1999, showing a slight rebound from the 55% increase in infant deaths evidenced between 1996 and 1998.
- The number of North Dakota mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care decreased from 382 in 1998 to 325 in 1999.
- The number of WIC program participants has declined consistently since 1998, dropping to 24,500 in 2000.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

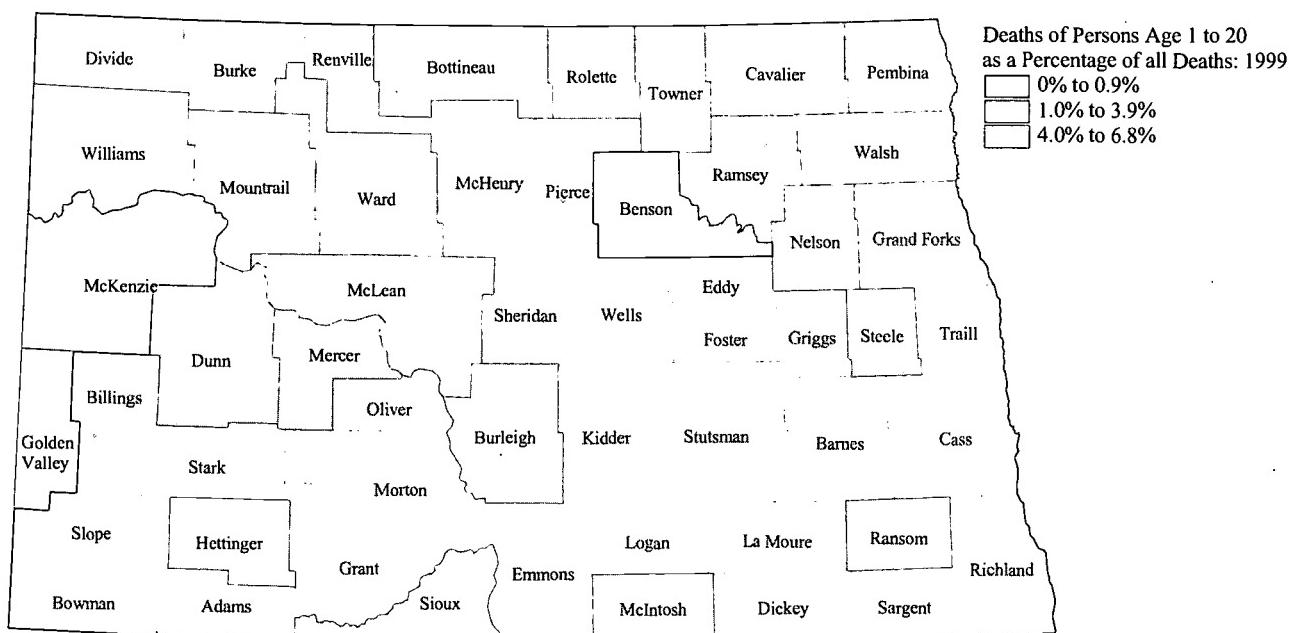
Although the proportion of low weight births remained fairly stable during the eighties, increases have been evident during much of the past decade. There was a slight decrease from 6.5 percent in 1998 to 6.2 percent in 1999; however, the trend over the past ten years shows a general increase, despite a declining birth rate during the same time period.

The number of infant deaths has also evidenced inconsistent progress over the past ten years. Notably, between 1996 and 1998, there was a fifty-five percent increase in infant deaths, from forty-four to sixty-eight, with a twenty-four percent decrease between 1998 and 1999.

Deaths to children under age twenty have changed little over the past decade, with a slight decrease from seventy-three to sixty-seven between 1998 and 1999. Of special concern are the deaths in this age group attributed to preventable accidents. The national KIDS COUNT Data Book finds the child death rate for North Dakota children ages 1-14 has improved thirteen percent over the past decade, earning a ranking of thirty-first among all states (KIDS COUNT Data Book, 2001).

Following three years of consistent increases, the number of North Dakota mothers receiving inadequate prenatal care decreased from 382 to 325 between 1998 and 1999, implicating 4.3 percent of total births. A mother's access to medical care is a critical factor in obtaining adequate prenatal care. While the Women, Infants, and Children Program (WIC) has been found to positively influence early participation in prenatal care, the number of WIC program participants has declined consistently since 1998, dropping to 24,500 in the year 2000.

DEATHS OF CHILDREN AGES 1 TO 20 AS A PERCENTAGE OF ALL DEATHS: 1999



Child Health

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- Despite efforts to reach families with information about their children's eligibility for Medicaid, it is believed that the complexity of the application process deters many from seeking this help. Greater consistency in income and eligibility requirements among health care programs targeted to children and families could help improve their access to needed services.
- Between 1994 and 2000 the number of medically uninsured poor and near-poor North Dakota children with working parents increased by 60%, while the total population of poor and near-poor children with working parents increased by only 21% ("Health Insurance and Poverty Level," 2000). This evidence suggests that employee-sponsored health benefits are not available to a growing number of hard working families, while eligibility for public health care resources is often out of their reach.
- Increases in low weight births to North Dakota women during the past decade may in part be linked to pregnancy behaviors. While there has been a decrease in the number of women who smoked during pregnancy, from 22% in 1990 to 19% in 1998 (*The Right Start*, 2001), the percentage of North Dakota women who smoke during pregnancy has consistently outpaced national averages during this time period and calls attention to the need for more effective pre-natal education opportunities.
- National KIDS COUNT data find that North Dakota's infant mortality rate of 8.6% ranks forty-first among all states during 1998 (*KIDS COUNT Data Book*, 2001). North Dakota data reveal that the number of babies who lived one hour or less also rose during that year, again pointing to the importance of access to early and consistent pre-natal care for pregnant women.

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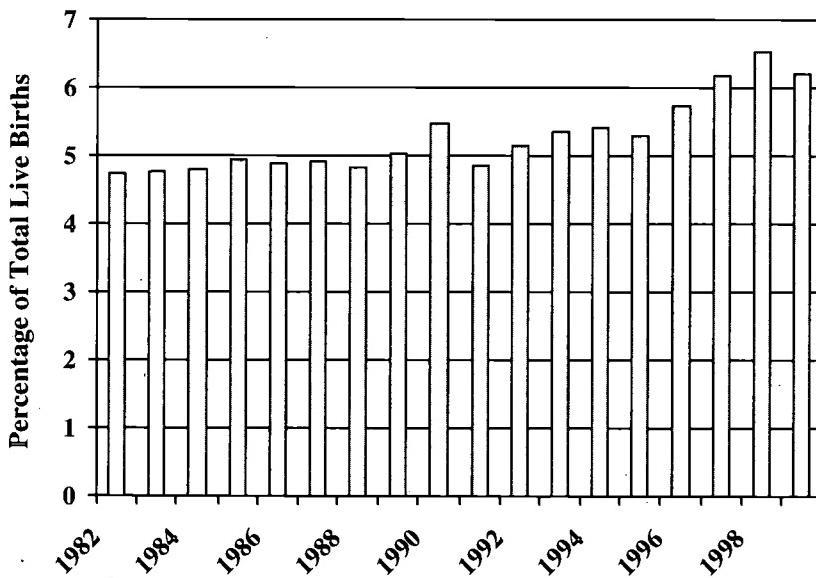
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NORTH DAKOTA LOW BIRTH WEIGHT BABIES: 1982-1999



Education

FAST FACTS

- Average daily membership has declined by 2,200 students between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years.
- Only 8 of 53 North Dakota counties saw an increase in average daily membership.
- Average expenditures per pupil have risen 8% between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 academic years.
- The number of special education students considered seriously emotionally disturbed increased 41% between 1995 and 2000.
- Both home-based and reservation-based Head Start programs were able to serve a larger proportion of eligible children between 1999 and 2000.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

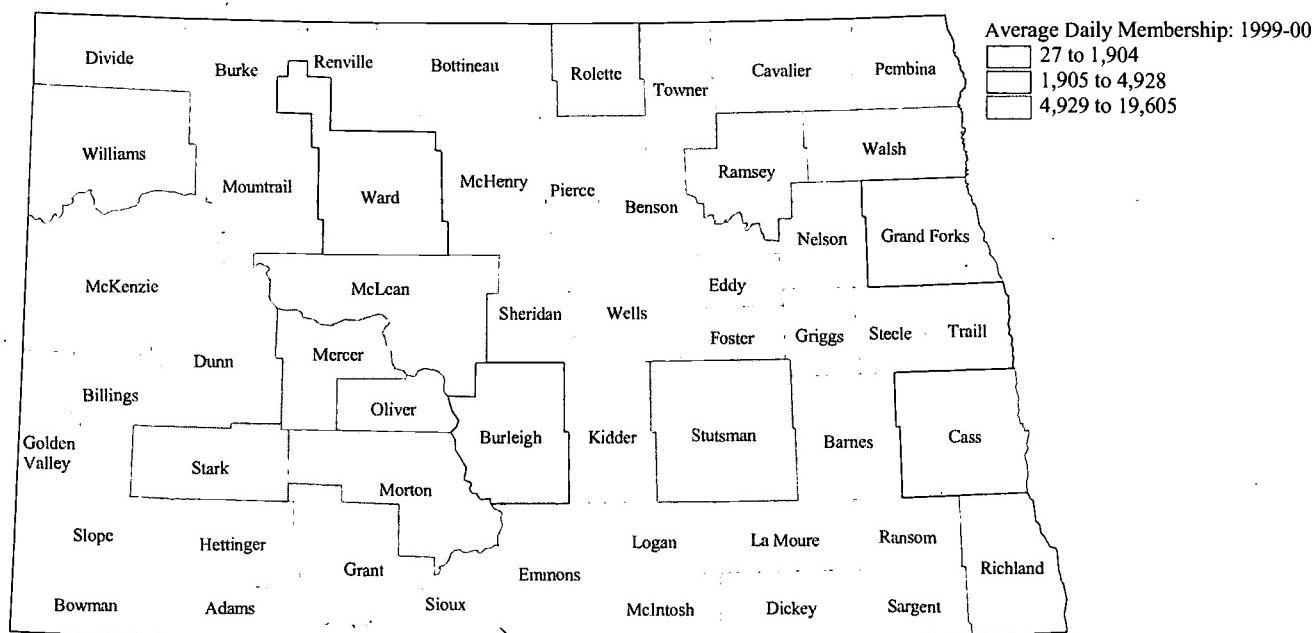
North Dakota's declining child population is reflected in the two percent loss of student population (2,200 students) between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years. Only eight of fifty-three counties saw an increase in their average daily membership during this time period. In response to falling enrollments, the cost of educating students is increasing. The average expenditure per pupil rose eight percent during the same time period, demonstrating the higher costs involved in educating fewer students.

The percentage of students enrolled in special education increased from 10.6 percent in 1995 to 12.4 percent in 2000, with the most noticeable enrollment fluctuations in the 6-11 years and 12-17 years age groups. The number of seriously emotionally disturbed children has seen an increase of forty-one percent during the 1995-2000 time period, pointing to the likelihood that more children are experiencing emotional challenges that impact their learning capacity.

Total enrollment in Head Start remained virtually unchanged between 1999 and 2000, as did the percentage of eligible children enrolled in the program. While center-based programs experienced a decline in the number of eligible children able to be served, both home-based and reservation-based programs were able to serve a larger proportion of eligible children between 1999 and 2000.

The average ACT score in North Dakota dropped slightly between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 academic years - falling from 20.8 to 20.6. Thirty-three of the state's fifty-three counties recorded scores at or higher than the state average.

AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP: 1999-2000



Education

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- A recent study reports that 65.8% of North Dakota's public schools are in rural areas, with 42.3% of public school students enrolled in rural schools. Findings reveal that North Dakota is one of seven states where there is an urgent need for explicitly rural education policies in order to ensure the state's educational performance and the continued success of students (Beeson and Strange, 2000).
- Research confirms that schools where there is less emphasis on security and more emphasis on positive connections among students and adults in nurturing environments improve student achievement and ensure student safety because they encourage a sense of collective responsibility for the school environment (*The Public Assault*, 2000).
- Preliminary national evaluation results for the Early Head Start Program reveal improvements in parent and child outcomes. Children performed better on measures of cognitive, language, and social-emotional development, while parents scored better on home environment, parenting behavior, and knowledge of infant-toddler development ("Building Their Futures," 2001).
- A national review of student achievement on the 2000 standardized ACT college entrance exam reveals that student performance is influenced by a number of factors, including family income. North Dakota findings also reveal that higher ACT scores correlate with lower child poverty levels, signaling the need for educational practices that ensure every child's success.

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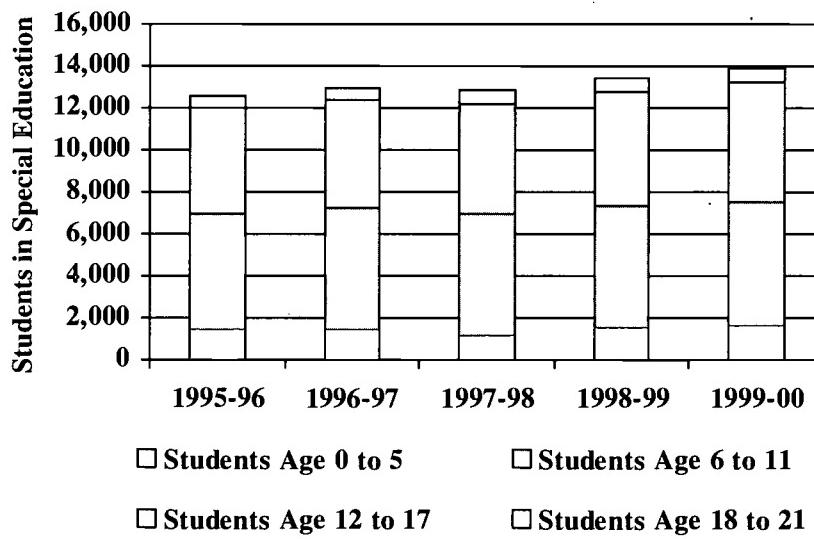
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N.D. CHILDREN ENROLLED IN SPECIAL EDUCATION



Children At Risk

FAST FACTS

- The number of child abuse and neglect victims decreased from 7,341 in 1998 to 7,074 in 1999.
- Children impacted by domestic violence occurring in their homes increased by 16% between 1999 and 2000.
- The number of dropouts in grades 9-12 increased 7% between the 1998-99 and 1999-2000 school years.
- Out-of-wedlock births to teens ages 12-19 accounted for nearly 8% of all live births during 1999.
- 30 North Dakota counties recorded alcohol offense rates higher than the state rate of 21%.

NORTH DAKOTA ANALYSIS

The number of child abuse and neglect victims for children under the age of eighteen decreased slightly from 7,341 victims in 1998 to 7,074 victims in 1999. The number of child abuse and neglect reports also decreased slightly over the same time period, with a small increase - from 14.4 percent to 15.7 percent - in instances where services were required. Children impacted by domestic violence increased by sixteen percent between 1999 and 2000.

North Dakota children in grades 9-12 who dropped out of high school during the 1999-2000 academic year accounted for 2.6 percent of these students. While this is a small proportion of the total student population in these grades, it does represent a seven percent increase in the number of dropouts from the 1998-1999 school year.

Out-of-wedlock births to North Dakota teens ages twelve to nineteen years accounted for nearly eight percent of all births during 1999, with twenty-two counties exceeding the state level and five counties reporting rates of twenty percent or higher.

The number of offenses committed by children under age eighteen totaled 14,792 in 1999. Alcohol offenses comprised twenty-one percent of total offenses, with thirty counties recording rates higher than the state rate.

TEENAGE OUT-OF-WEDLOCK BIRTHS AS A PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL BIRTHS: 1999



Children At Risk

IMPLICATIONS FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES

- North Dakota is one of only seven states where children facing numerous risks have increased over the past ten years, while the national occurrence has decreased. These results suggest high-risk families with children are in need of supports which enhance their capacity to function in the context of their community networks (O'Hare and Reynolds, 2001).
- While juvenile crime has not increased dramatically in the recent years, media coverage has created a troubling image of young offenders. Uncovering connections among family, school, and community experiences which negatively influence youth behavior can move policymakers from labeling to the creation of positive local community solutions (*The Public Assault*, 2000).
- Contrary to current perception, higher family welfare payments are consistently correlated with lower rates of unwed childbearing among teenage mothers. Attention would be best directed to connecting young adolescents at all income levels with healthy opportunities for socialization and self-discovery in their schools and communities as an investment in their successful development (Males, 1996).
- Our societal commitment to providing safe environments for children is challenged by the contradiction of nationwide suffusion in media and personal violence, as well as a high tolerance for behaviors among adults that are decried when exhibited by youth. Creating opportunities that surround children with positive resources and adult role models who demonstrate respect for themselves and others is a goal that could promote positive change in this negative trend (*The Public Assault*, 2000).

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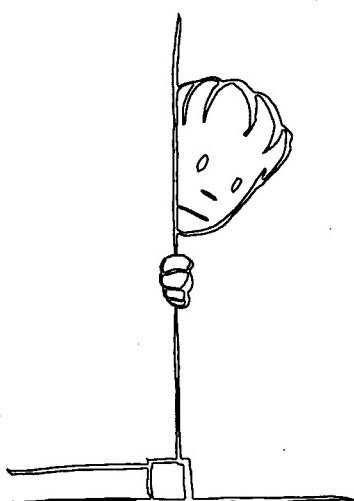
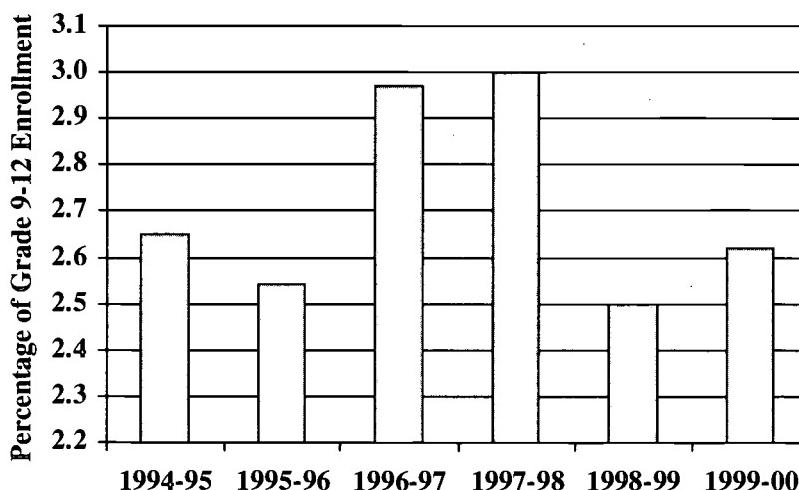
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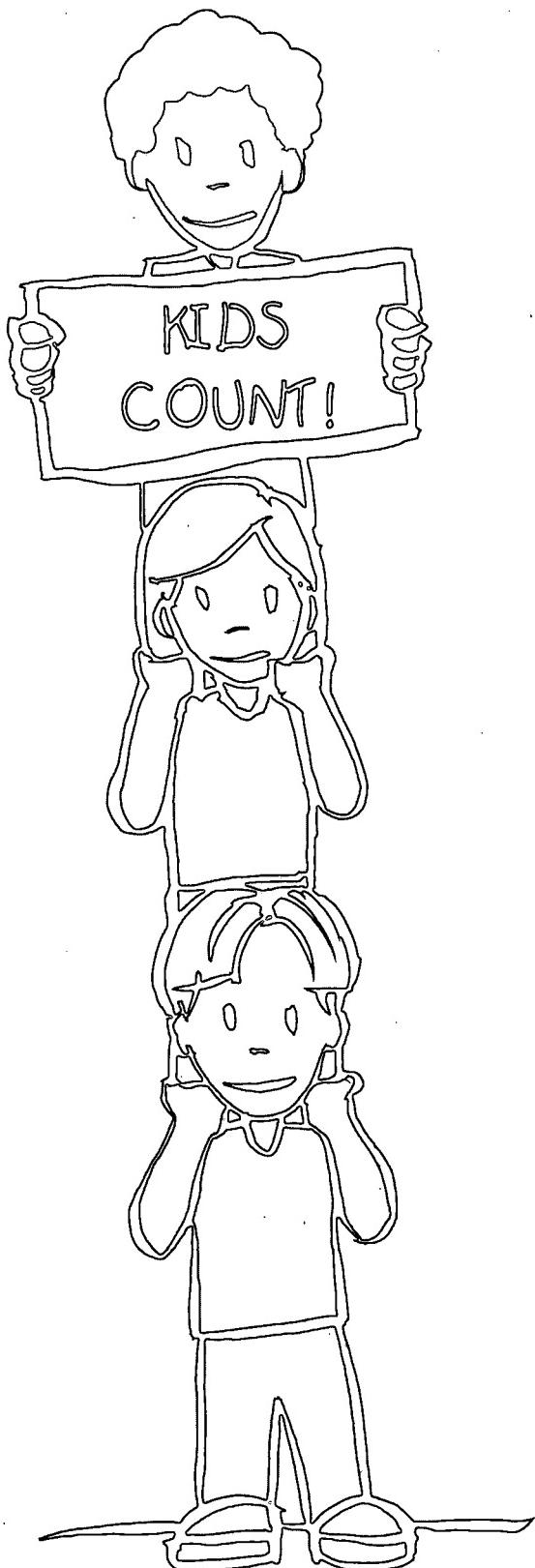
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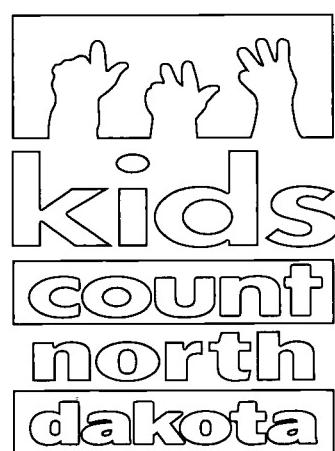
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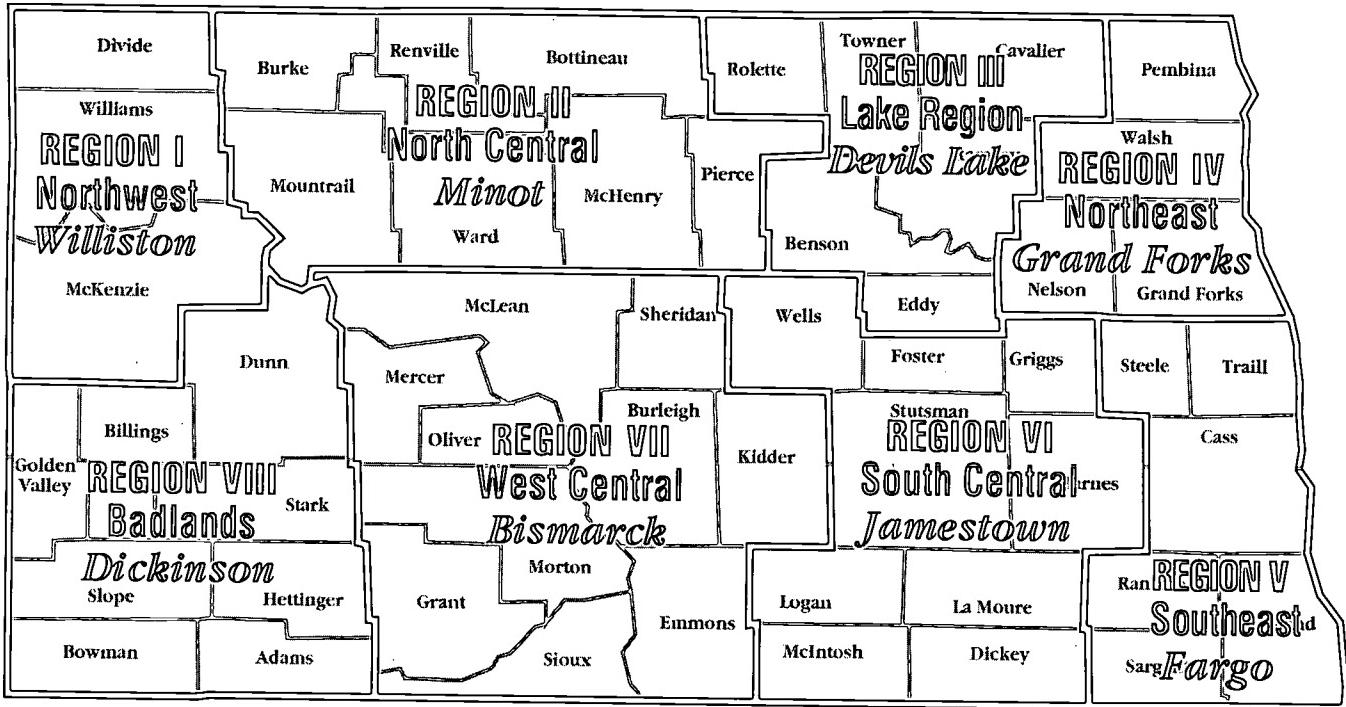
State, Region, and County Data



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Williston
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North Central
Minot
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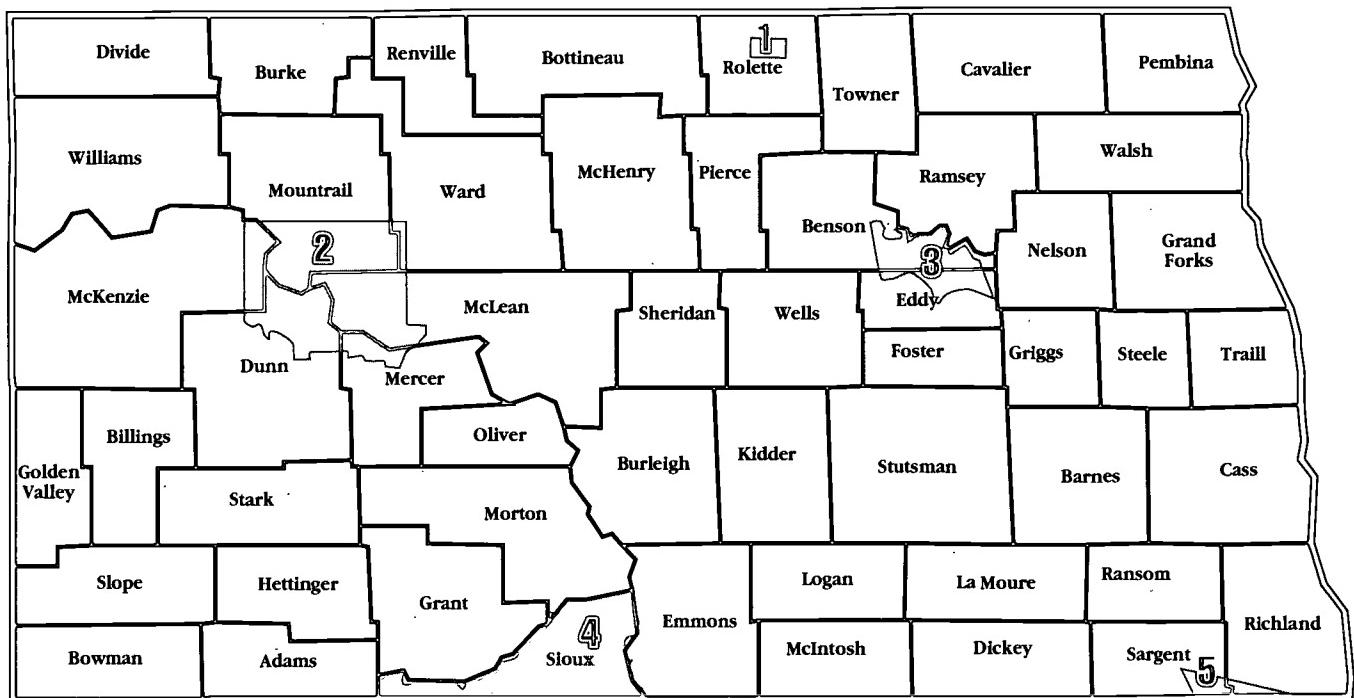
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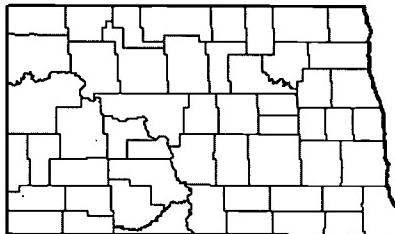
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INDIAN RESERVATIONS

1. Turtle Mountain
2. Fort Berthold
3. Spirit Lake
4. Standing Rock
5. Sisseton

North Dakota



North Dakota

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|----------------------------|----------|
| State Capital : | Bismarck |
| National Population Rank : | 47 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 68,994.3 |
| Number of Households : | 238,929 |
| Number of Families : | 164,487 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | |
|---|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

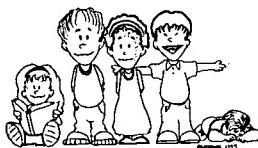
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

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|--|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

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|---|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 474 | 6.21% |



North Dakota

(%)

Education

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|---|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 5,686 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.6 | NA |

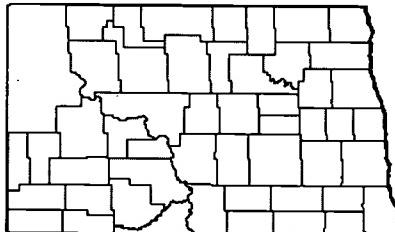
Children At Risk

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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | |
|--|--------------|--------|--------------|--------|--------------|--------|
| | North Dakota | (%) | North Dakota | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 14,889 | 7.63% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 18,685 | 9.58% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 35,352 | 29.00% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 367 | 4.39% | 382 | 4.82% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 52 | 0.62% | 68 | 0.86% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 64 | 1.09% | 73 | 1.23% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 28,111 | 17.06% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1,167 | 3.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 6,966 | 4.23% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 631 | 7.55% | 644 | 8.12% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region I

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|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 8 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 6,072.2 |
| Number of Households : | 10,468 |
| Number of Families : | 7,400 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region I | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
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Population

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|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 27,599 | 4.36% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 2,167 | 7.85% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 3,021 | 10.95% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 2,174 | 7.88% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 7,790 | 28.23% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 6,734 | 86.44% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 9 | 0.12% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1,018 | 13.07% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 28 | 0.36% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 118 | 1.51% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

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|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 1,274 | 13.96% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 4,214 | 72.57% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,988 | 67.56% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 2,226 | 77.04% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 74 | 0.95% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 43 | 58.11% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 31 | 41.89% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

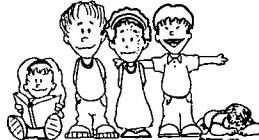
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 1,533 | 20.53% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,061 | 19.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,579.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 1,035 | 11.40% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 661 | 7.28% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 64 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 917 | 16.27% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 82 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 430 | 7.63% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 1,063 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 15 | 4.73% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region I (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,483.84 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 5,252.33 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 152 | 88.37% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 115 | 75.66% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 37 | 24.34% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 662 | 12.66% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 66 | 9.97% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 290 | 43.81% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 277 | 41.84% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 29 | 4.38% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 41 | 6.19% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 184 | 27.79% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 310 | 46.83% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 50 | 7.55% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.6 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

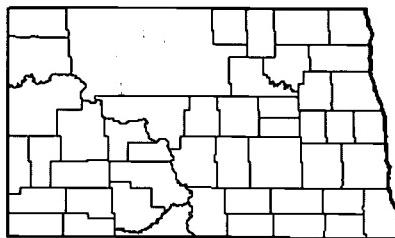
Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 160 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 32 | 20.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 84 | 52.50% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 238 | 3.23% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 758 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 183 | 24.14% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 191 | 25.20% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 30 | 3.96% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 136 | 17.94% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 218 | 28.76% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 20 | 1.33% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region I | (%) | ND | (%) | Region I | (%) | ND | (%) | Region I | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 773 | 8.79% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 685 | 7.88% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 710 | 8.42% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,070 | 12.17% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,171 | 13.47% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 1,167 | 13.83% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,695 | 28.74% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 1,515 | 26.41% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,650 | 31.11% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 24 | 7.25% | 367 | 4.39% | 16 | 5.06% | 382 | 4.82% | 20 | 6.31% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 4 | 1.27% | 68 | 0.86% | 4 | 1.26% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 6 | 1.82% | 64 | 1.09% | 5 | 1.72% | 73 | 1.23% | 6 | 1.80% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 1,626 | 21.05% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,547 | 20.34% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,619 | 21.99% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 77 | 4.02% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 43 | 2.12% | 957 | 2.50% | 60 | 3.02% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 267 | 3.46% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 319 | 4.20% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 252 | 3.42% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 35 | 10.57% | 631 | 7.55% | 40 | 12.66% | 644 | 8.12% | 40 | 12.62% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region II

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 4 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 10,376.2 |
| Number of Households : | 32,952 |
| Number of Families : | 23,403 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region II | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 87,661 | 13.83% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 6,795 | 7.75% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 8,515 | 9.71% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 6,971 | 7.95% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 23,717 | 27.06% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 21,334 | 89.95% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 600 | 2.53% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1,318 | 5.56% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 469 | 1.98% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 601 | 2.53% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 3,517 | 14.01% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 12,468 | 71.03% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 6,123 | 65.93% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 6,345 | 75.95% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 188 | 0.79% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 112 | 59.57% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 76 | 40.43% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

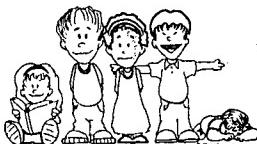
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 4,007 | 18.87% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 2,645 | 16.87% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$26,678.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 4,336 | 17.50% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,757 | 7.09% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 209 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 3,456 | 20.77% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 148 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 735 | 4.42% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,854 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 71 | 6.17% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region II (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,945.94 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 16,118.52 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 355 | 67.49% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 205 | 57.75% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 71 | 20.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 79 | 22.25% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 2,317 | 14.41% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 227 | 9.80% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 998 | 43.07% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 961 | 41.48% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 131 | 5.65% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 133 | 5.74% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 923 | 39.84% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 910 | 39.27% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 116 | 5.01% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

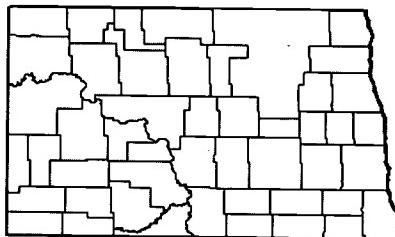
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 652 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 44 | 6.75% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 484 | 74.23% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 438 | 1.97% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,649 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 406 | 24.62% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 312 | 18.92% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 16 | 0.97% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 468 | 28.38% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 447 | 27.11% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 72 | 1.34% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region II | (%) | ND | (%) | Region II | (%) | ND | (%) | Region II | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,833 | 6.75% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,582 | 5.92% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1,536 | 5.80% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 2,563 | 9.44% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 2,879 | 10.77% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 3,165 | 11.96% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 5,390 | 32.15% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 5,197 | 31.60% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 5,517 | 33.24% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 47 | 3.46% | 367 | 4.39% | 34 | 2.78% | 382 | 4.82% | 32 | 2.78% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 8 | 0.59% | 52 | 0.62% | 8 | 0.66% | 68 | 0.86% | 10 | 0.87% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 17 | 2.06% | 64 | 1.09% | 7 | 0.84% | 73 | 1.23% | 11 | 1.27% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 3,666 | 15.96% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 3,640 | 16.14% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 3,778 | 16.96% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 122 | 2.11% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 160 | 2.79% | 957 | 2.50% | 144 | 2.59% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,006 | 4.38% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,115 | 4.94% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,102 | 4.95% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 84 | 6.18% | 631 | 7.55% | 94 | 7.70% | 644 | 8.12% | 86 | 7.47% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region III

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 6 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 6,623.9 |
| Number of Households : | 15,776 |
| Number of Families : | 11,245 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Region III | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|------------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 43,525 | 6.87% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 4,054 | 9.31% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 5,238 | 12.03% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 3,771 | 8.66% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 13,794 | 31.69% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 7,121 | 51.62% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 30 | 0.22% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 6,605 | 47.88% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 35 | 0.25% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 109 | 0.79% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 3,422 | 24.32% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 5,997 | 67.45% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 2,865 | 59.51% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 3,132 | 74.71% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 282 | 2.04% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 235 | 83.33% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 47 | 16.67% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

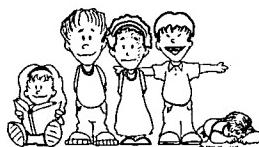
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 4,107 | 25.68% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 2,750 | 23.63% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$24,749.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 2,224 | 16.08% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 2,616 | 18.91% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 95 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 1,795 | 17.80% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 302 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 2,048 | 20.31% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,411 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 33 | 5.63% | 474 | 6.21% |



| Region III | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|------------|-----|--------------|-----|
|------------|-----|--------------|-----|

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,272.80 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 8,530.93 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 538 | 86.91% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 70 | 13.01% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 70 | 13.01% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 398 | 73.98% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 1,069 | 12.41% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 129 | 12.07% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 421 | 39.38% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 470 | 43.97% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 49 | 4.58% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 71 | 6.64% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 271 | 25.35% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 529 | 49.49% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 111 | 10.38% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.8 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

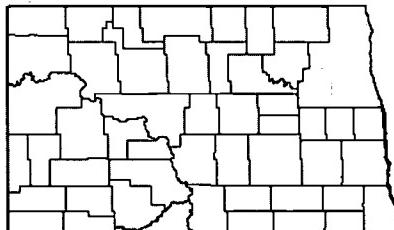
Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 193 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 64 | 33.16% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 110 | 56.99% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 255 | 1.95% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,343 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 270 | 20.10% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 318 | 23.68% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 27 | 2.01% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 329 | 24.50% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 399 | 29.71% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 193 | 7.71% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region III | (%) | ND | (%) | Region III | (%) | ND | (%) | Region III | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 3,903 | 25.76% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 3,753 | 24.83% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 3,388 | 22.62% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,892 | 12.49% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 2,007 | 13.28% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 2,274 | 15.19% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 5,269 | 49.92% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 5,068 | 49.49% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 5,205 | 52.62% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 72 | 10.60% | 367 | 4.39% | 77 | 12.05% | 382 | 4.82% | 72 | 12.29% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 3 | 0.44% | 52 | 0.62% | 4 | 0.63% | 68 | 0.86% | 3 | 0.51% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 4 | 0.83% | 64 | 1.09% | 6 | 1.17% | 73 | 1.23% | 15 | 2.87% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 5,077 | 38.17% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 4,962 | 37.56% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 4,961 | 37.98% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 167 | 5.46% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 116 | 3.79% | 957 | 2.50% | 162 | 5.50% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 385 | 2.89% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 414 | 3.13% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 359 | 2.75% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 125 | 18.41% | 631 | 7.55% | 107 | 16.74% | 644 | 8.12% | 100 | 17.06% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region IV

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 3 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 4,820.4 |
| Number of Households : | 33,013 |
| Number of Families : | 22,261 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region IV (%) | North Dakota (%) |
|---------------|------------------|
|---------------|------------------|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 90,037 | 14.21% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 7,112 | 7.90% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 8,357 | 9.28% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 7,350 | 8.16% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 24,433 | 27.14% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 22,713 | 92.96% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 559 | 2.29% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 738 | 3.02% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 423 | 1.73% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 929 | 3.80% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 3,678 | 14.25% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 12,931 | 73.44% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 6,894 | 68.93% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 6,037 | 78.58% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 208 | 0.85% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 146 | 70.19% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 62 | 29.81% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

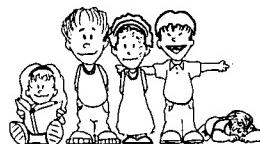
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 3,521 | 16.08% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 2,305 | 14.73% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,655.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 3,338 | 13.04% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,204 | 4.70% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 230 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 4,721 | 28.24% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 115 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 575 | 3.44% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 4,358 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 57 | 5.24% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region IV (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,036.32 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 15,867.53 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 309 | 71.53% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 289 | 93.53% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 20 | 6.47% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | ,0 | 0.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 2,024 | 12.90% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 261 | 12.90% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 890 | 43.97% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 788 | 38.93% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 85 | 4.20% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 200 | 9.88% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 635 | 31.37% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 812 | 40.12% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 179 | 8.84% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.6 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

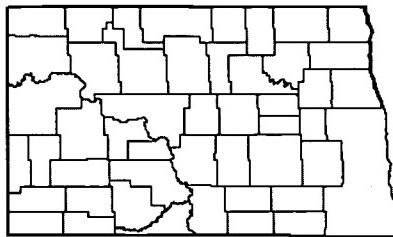
Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 743 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 155 | 20.86% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 410 | 55.18% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 671 | 2.94% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 2,506 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 501 | 19.99% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 594 | 23.70% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 69 | 2.75% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 523 | 20.87% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 819 | 32.68% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 100 | 1.62% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | | | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region IV | (%) | ND | (%) | Region IV | (%) | ND | (%) | Region IV | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,566 | 5.21% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,373 | 4.74% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1,135 | 4.05% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 2,400 | 7.98% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 2,813 | 9.71% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 3,130 | 11.18% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 4,491 | 25.72% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 4,350 | 26.05% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 4,228 | 26.66% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 34 | 2.67% | 367 | 4.39% | 73 | 5.95% | 382 | 4.82% | 43 | 3.95% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 10 | 0.79% | 52 | 0.62% | 9 | 0.73% | 68 | 0.86% | 7 | 0.64% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 6 | 0.76% | 64 | 1.09% | 9 | 1.20% | 73 | 1.23% | 8 | 1.09% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 3,825 | 15.52% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 3,918 | 16.55% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 3,874 | 16.98% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 124 | 2.48% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 59 | 1.19% | 957 | 2.50% | 82 | 1.60% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,434 | 5.82% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,530 | 6.46% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,407 | 6.17% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 79 | 6.21% | 631 | 7.55% | 67 | 5.46% | 644 | 8.12% | 84 | 7.72% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region V

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 1 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 6,498.5 |
| Number of Households : | 60,824 |
| Number of Families : | 39,152 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region V | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|---------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 157,085 | 24.79% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 11,336 | 7.22% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 14,105 | 8.98% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 12,431 | 7.91% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 40,571 | 25.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 38,796 | 95.62% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 186 | 0.46% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 904 | 2.23% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 682 | 1.68% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 629 | 1.55% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 4,783 | 13.20% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 18,075 | 77.95% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 9,050 | 73.45% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 9,025 | 82.46% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 384 | 0.95% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 274 | 71.35% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 110 | 28.65% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

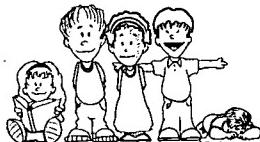
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 4,519 | 13.75% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 2,806 | 12.37% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$33,175.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 3,277 | 9.20% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,767 | 4.96% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 543 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 9,849 | 35.67% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 224 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 1,104 | 4.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 4,605 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 138 | 6.72% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region V (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,910.23 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 26,846.80 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 292 | 46.57% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 291 | 99.66% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 1 | 0.34% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 0 | 0.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 2,875 | 10.89% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 336 | 11.69% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 1,250 | 43.48% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 1,156 | 40.21% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 133 | 4.63% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 306 | 10.64% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 795 | 27.65% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 1,075 | 37.39% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 276 | 9.60% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

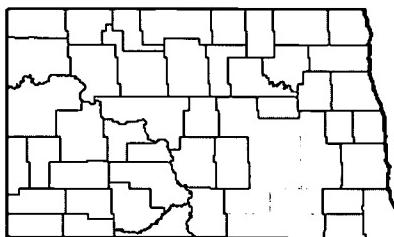
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 1,205 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 144 | 11.95% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 595 | 49.38% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 850 | 2.24% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 2,883 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 647 | 22.44% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 502 | 17.41% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 34 | 1.18% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 844 | 29.28% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 856 | 29.69% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 119 | 1.38% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region V | (%) | ND | (%) | Region V | (%) | ND | (%) | Region V | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 2,245 | 4.89% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,811 | 3.91% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1,805 | 3.89% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 3,978 | 8.67% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 4,559 | 9.85% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 4,779 | 10.30% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 5,313 | 20.24% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 5,104 | 19.26% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 5,250 | 19.25% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 71 | 3.39% | 367 | 4.39% | 54 | 2.65% | 382 | 4.82% | 58 | 2.82% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 13 | 0.62% | 52 | 0.62% | 18 | 0.88% | 68 | 0.86% | 12 | 0.58% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 8 | 0.68% | 64 | 1.09% | 7 | 0.57% | 73 | 1.23% | 8 | 0.65% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 5,010 | 13.28% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 4,873 | 12.86% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 5,005 | 13.22% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 247 | 2.86% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 250 | 3.14% | 957 | 2.50% | 256 | 2.93% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,797 | 4.76% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,911 | 5.04% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,895 | 5.00% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 103 | 4.91% | 631 | 7.55% | 140 | 6.86% | 644 | 8.12% | 114 | 5.55% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region VI

County Seat : NA
 State Population Rank : 5
 Land Area (square miles) : 10,574.8
 Number of Households : 23,800
 Number of Families : 16,437

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region VI | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
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|-----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 60,640 | 9.57% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 3,738 | 6.16% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 5,335 | 8.80% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 4,563 | 7.52% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 14,591 | 24.06% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 14,311 | 98.08% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 59 | 0.40% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 117 | 0.80% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 103 | 0.71% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 121 | 0.83% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 1,921 | 11.41% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 7,927 | 76.73% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 3,385 | 69.69% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 4,542 | 81.97% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 105 | 0.72% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 64 | 60.95% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 41 | 39.05% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

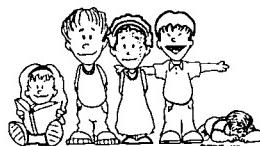
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 2,655 | 19.69% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,838 | 18.34% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$25,925.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 2,356 | 14.03% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,339 | 7.98% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 177 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 2,526 | 25.46% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 84 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 422 | 4.25% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 2,161 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 37 | 6.40% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region VI (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,548.05 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 10,667.38 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 200 | 85.84% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 110 | 55.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 90 | 45.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 0 | 0.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 1,359 | 12.77% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 101 | 7.43% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 598 | 44.00% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 579 | 42.60% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 81 | 5.96% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 88 | 6.48% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 397 | 29.21% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 609 | 44.81% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 169 | 12.44% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

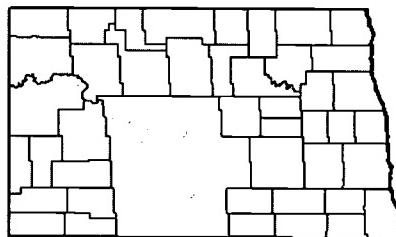
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 240 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 65 | 27.08% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 130 | 54.17% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 473 | 3.47% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,481 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 302 | 20.39% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 293 | 19.78% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 263 | 17.76% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 301 | 20.32% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 322 | 21.74% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 108 | 3.05% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region VI | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VI | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VI | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 791 | 4.76% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 589 | 3.59% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 451 | 2.79% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,901 | 11.45% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,989 | 12.12% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 2,045 | 12.67% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 3,538 | 31.33% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 3,300 | 29.73% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 3,272 | 30.21% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 20 | 3.31% | 367 | 4.39% | 26 | 4.50% | 382 | 4.82% | 20 | 3.46% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 4 | 0.66% | 52 | 0.62% | 3 | 0.52% | 68 | 0.86% | 2 | 0.35% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 3 | 0.36% | 64 | 1.09% | 11 | 1.33% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 0.23% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 2,073 | 14.67% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,982 | 14.26% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,828 | 13.41% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 47 | 1.19% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 60 | 1.55% | 957 | 2.50% | 68 | 1.80% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 396 | 2.80% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 422 | 3.04% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 399 | 2.93% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 41 | 6.78% | 631 | 7.55% | 35 | 6.06% | 644 | 8.12% | 43 | 7.44% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region VII

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 2 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 14,026.2 |
| Number of Households : | 47,671 |
| Number of Families : | 34,340 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Region VII | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|------------|-----|--------------|-----|
|------------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|---------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 128,685 | 20.31% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 9,614 | 7.47% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 13,306 | 10.34% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 10,557 | 8.20% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 35,624 | 27.68% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 31,930 | 89.63% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 62 | 0.17% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 3,382 | 9.49% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 254 | 0.71% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 437 | 1.23% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 4,944 | 13.67% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 17,299 | 76.39% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 7,975 | 70.41% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 9,324 | 81.50% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 356 | 1.00% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 174 | 48.88% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 182 | 51.12% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

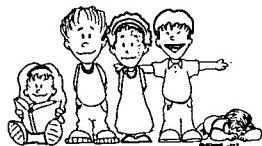
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 5,659 | 22.16% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 3,758 | 20.71% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$34,542.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 3,848 | 10.70% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 2,537 | 7.06% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 407 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 5,854 | 23.44% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 266 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 1,199 | 4.80% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,483 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 98 | 6.65% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region VII (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,755.62 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 23,287.01 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 519 | 70.23% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 312 | 60.12% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 55 | 10.60% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 152 | 29.29% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 2,860 | 12.59% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 357 | 12.48% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 1,222 | 42.73% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 1,151 | 40.24% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 130 | 4.55% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 106 | 3.71% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 1,012 | 35.38% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 1,169 | 40.87% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 288 | 10.07% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

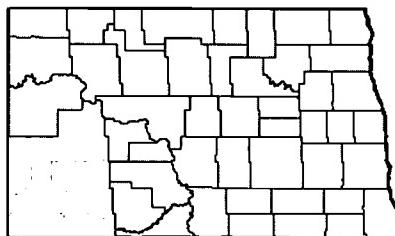
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 741 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 104 | 14.04% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 498 | 67.21% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 968 | 2.89% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 3,182 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 578 | 18.16% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 858 | 26.96% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 130 | 4.09% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 865 | 27.18% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 751 | 23.60% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 129 | 1.83% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | | | | | | |
|--|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region VII | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VII | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VII | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 3,185 | 8.07% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 2,842 | 7.20% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 2,393 | 6.12% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 3,598 | 9.12% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 3,991 | 10.12% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 4,420 | 11.30% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 6,867 | 27.01% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 6,640 | 26.15% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 6,634 | 26.74% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 84 | 5.28% | 367 | 4.39% | 87 | 5.74% | 382 | 4.82% | 65 | 4.41% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 11 | 0.69% | 52 | 0.62% | 17 | 1.12% | 68 | 0.86% | 11 | 0.75% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 17 | 1.65% | 64 | 1.09% | 21 | 1.96% | 73 | 1.23% | 12 | 1.06% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 5,418 | 15.94% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 5,494 | 16.24% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 5,538 | 16.54% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 355 | 4.56% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 240 | 2.99% | 957 | 2.50% | 222 | 2.69% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,192 | 3.51% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,271 | 3.76% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,296 | 3.87% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 134 | 8.43% | 631 | 7.55% | 130 | 8.58% | 644 | 8.12% | 107 | 7.26% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Region VIII

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | NA |
| State Population Rank : | 7 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 10,002.2 |
| Number of Households : | 14,425 |
| Number of Families : | 10,249 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Region VIII | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-------------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 38,434 | 6.07% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 2,817 | 7.33% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 3,977 | 10.35% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 3,098 | 8.06% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 10,514 | 27.36% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 10,095 | 96.01% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 14 | 0.13% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 319 | 3.03% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 88 | 0.84% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 136 | 1.29% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 1,347 | 11.19% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 5,720 | 72.06% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 2,667 | 68.88% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 3,053 | 74.84% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 119 | 1.13% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 68 | 57.14% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 51 | 42.86% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

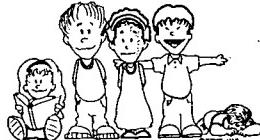
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 1,811 | 17.13% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,285 | 16.96% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,603.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 1,779 | 14.93% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 907 | 7.61% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 147 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 1,776 | 23.97% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 24 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 120 | 1.62% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 1,565 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 25 | 6.46% | 474 | 6.21% |



Region VIII (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,983.77 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 6,970.17 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 111 | 77.08% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 72 | 64.86% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 32 | 28.83% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 7 | 6.31% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 749 | 10.72% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 109 | 14.55% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 270 | 36.05% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 316 | 42.19% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 54 | 7.21% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 28 | 3.74% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 251 | 33.51% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 272 | 36.32% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 73 | 9.75% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

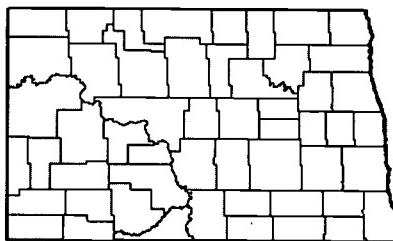
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 211 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 44 | 20.85% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 119 | 56.40% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 320 | 3.23% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 990 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 207 | 20.91% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 178 | 17.98% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 215 | 21.72% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 176 | 17.78% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 214 | 21.62% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 39 | 1.78% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | | | | | | |
|--|-------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Region VIII | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VIII | (%) | ND | (%) | Region VIII | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 593 | 4.97% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 420 | 3.56% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 386 | 3.35% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,283 | 10.75% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,484 | 12.58% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 1,451 | 12.58% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 2,789 | 33.74% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 2,750 | 34.04% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 2,663 | 34.17% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 15 | 3.53% | 367 | 4.39% | 15 | 3.81% | 382 | 4.82% | 15 | 3.88% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 3 | 0.71% | 52 | 0.62% | 5 | 1.27% | 68 | 0.86% | 3 | 0.78% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 3 | 0.78% | 64 | 1.09% | 7 | 1.71% | 73 | 1.23% | 5 | 1.20% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 1,416 | 13.75% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,356 | 13.38% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,341 | 13.56% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 28 | 1.02% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 29 | 1.06% | 957 | 2.50% | 29 | 1.08% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 489 | 4.75% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 359 | 3.54% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 364 | 3.68% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 30 | 7.06% | 631 | 7.55% | 31 | 7.87% | 644 | 8.12% | 29 | 7.49% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Adams County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Hettinger |
| State Population Rank : | 44 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 988.0 |
| Number of Households : | 1,054 |
| Number of Families : | 723 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Adams | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,644 | 0.42% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 166 | 6.28% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 237 | 8.96% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 190 | 7.19% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 630 | 23.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 624 | 99.05% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 6 | 0.95% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.00% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 0 | 0.00% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 81 | 9.79% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 380 | 78.95% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 148 | 79.05% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 232 | 78.88% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 5 | 0.79% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 2 | 40.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 60.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

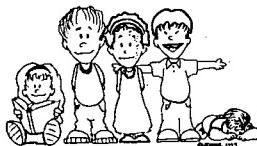
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 119 | 18.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 81 | 16.40% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,451.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 119 | 14.46% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 16 | 1.94% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 9 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 117 | 26.41% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 3.39% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 77 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Adams (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,692.09 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 473.30 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 5 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 5 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 46 | 9.68% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 5 | 10.87% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 12 | 26.09% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 26 | 56.52% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 3 | 6.52% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 11 | 23.91% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 24 | 52.17% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 4 | 8.70% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.7 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

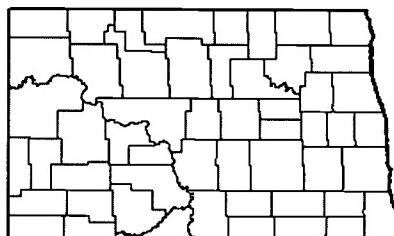
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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 9 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 22.22% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 7 | 77.78% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 187 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 24 | 12.83% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 5 | 2.67% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 134 | 71.66% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 16 | 8.56% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 8 | 4.28% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 3 | 1.96% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Adams | (%) | ND | (%) | Adams | (%) | ND | (%) | Adams | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 4 | 0.54% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 11 | 1.54% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 2 | 0.29% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 82 | 11.02% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 77 | 10.80% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 72 | 10.53% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 178 | 33.46% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 167 | 31.45% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 153 | 32.42% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 2 | 7.69% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 5.26% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 10.53% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 2.44% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 62 | 9.52% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 55 | 8.89% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 41 | 6.91% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.56% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.59% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.60% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 17 | 2.61% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 15 | 2.42% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 17 | 2.87% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 0 | 0.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 18.75% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Barnes County

County Seat : Valley City
 State Population Rank : 13
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,491.8
 Number of Households : 4,711
 Number of Families : 3,156

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Barnes | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 11,864 | 1.87% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 753 | 6.35% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,022 | 8.61% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 964 | 8.13% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,951 | 24.87% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,892 | 98.00% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 11 | 0.37% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 21 | 0.71% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 26 | 0.88% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 25 | 0.85% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 416 | 13.45% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,467 | 74.10% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 640 | 67.19% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 827 | 79.44% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 29 | 0.98% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 22 | 75.86% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 7 | 24.14% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

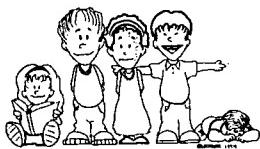
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 520 | 18.60% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 356 | 17.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$26,404.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 398 | 12.80% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 289 | 9.29% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 29 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 486 | 25.04% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 31 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 155 | 7.99% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 356 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 5 | 4.46% | 474 | 6.21% |



Barnes

(%)

North Dakota

(%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,450.61 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,904.73 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 54 | 85.71% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 50 | 92.59% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 4 | 7.41% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 257 | 13.55% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 21 | 8.17% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 108 | 42.02% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 110 | 42.80% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 18 | 7.00% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 12 | 4.67% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 61 | 23.74% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 120 | 46.69% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 43 | 16.73% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

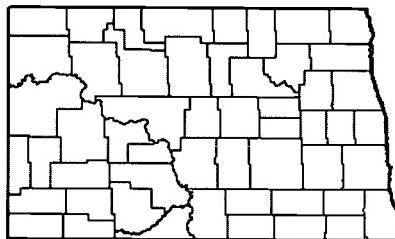
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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 66 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 13 | 19.70% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 46 | 69.70% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 216 | 7.89% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 292 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 56 | 19.18% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 82 | 28.08% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 74 | 25.34% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 80 | 27.40% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 7 | 0.91% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Barnes | (%) | ND | (%) | Barnes | (%) | ND | (%) | Barnes | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 220 | 6.44% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 163 | 4.83% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 117 | 3.52% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 430 | 12.59% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 419 | 12.42% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 441 | 13.28% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 597 | 29.47% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 569 | 27.95% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 568 | 29.55% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 2 | 1.71% | 367 | 4.39% | 6 | 4.41% | 382 | 4.82% | 4 | 3.57% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 1.47% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.63% | 64 | 1.09% | 3 | 2.04% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 490 | 17.26% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 440 | 15.78% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 413 | 15.08% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 8 | 1.13% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 12 | 1.78% | 957 | 2.50% | 2 | 0.32% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 108 | 3.80% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 101 | 3.62% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 110 | 4.02% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 7 | 5.98% | 631 | 7.55% | 7 | 5.15% | 644 | 8.12% | 11 | 9.82% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



Benson County

County Seat : Minnewaukan
 State Population Rank : 19
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,388.6
 Number of Households : 2,273
 Number of Families : 1,721

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Benson | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 6,781 | 1.07% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 775 | 11.43% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 948 | 13.98% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 626 | 9.23% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,468 | 36.40% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 893 | 36.18% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1,570 | 63.61% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 5 | 0.20% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 13 | 0.53% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 756 | 30.22% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 938 | 58.00% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 436 | 44.72% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 502 | 69.52% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 70 | 2.84% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 63 | 90.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 7 | 10.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

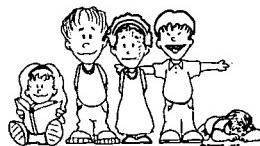
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 932 | 38.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 623 | 35.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$17,221.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 507 | 20.82% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 543 | 22.30% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 10 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 179 | 9.64% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 19 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 212 | 11.42% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 578 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 3 | 2.22% | 474 | 6.21% |



Benson (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$6,421.99 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,070.54 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 120 | 96.77% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 22 | 18.33% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 98 | 81.67% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 210 | 19.89% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 26 | 12.38% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 78 | 37.14% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 94 | 44.76% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 12 | 5.71% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 14 | 6.67% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 57 | 27.14% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 97 | 46.19% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 28 | 13.33% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 17.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION V

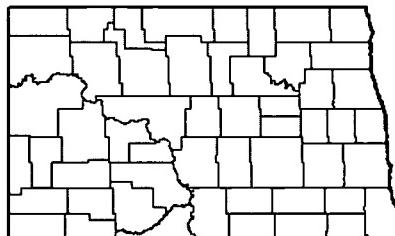
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 10 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 40.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 4 | 40.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 44 | 1.87% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 70 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 14 | 20.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 14 | 20.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 4.29% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 23 | 32.86% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 16 | 22.86% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 50 | 12.02% | 780 | 2.11% |

Mult-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Benson | (%) | ND | (%) | Benson | (%) | ND | (%) | Benson | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 903 | 34.36% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 848 | 31.70% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 781 | 29.34% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 374 | 14.23% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 403 | 15.07% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 485 | 18.22% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,106 | 68.53% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 1,043 | 65.80% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,050 | 70.52% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 11 | 8.46% | 367 | 4.39% | 21 | 17.21% | 382 | 4.82% | 22 | 16.30% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 0.77% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 2.56% | 73 | 1.23% | 5 | 6.85% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 1,092 | 46.89% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,065 | 45.11% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,084 | 46.15% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 47 | 10.31% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 16 | 3.72% | 957 | 2.50% | 18 | 4.01% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 16 | 0.69% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 42 | 1.78% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 16 | 0.68% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 22 | 16.92% | 631 | 7.55% | 22 | 18.03% | 644 | 8.12% | 27 | 20.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Billings County

County Seat : Medora
 State Population Rank : 52
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,151.5
 Number of Households : 373
 Number of Families : 293

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Billings | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--|----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 1,066 | 0.17% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 81 | 7.60% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 125 | 11.73% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 95 | 8.91% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 319 | 29.92% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 318 | 99.69% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 0 | 0.00% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.31% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 1 | 0.31% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 12 | 3.30% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 168 | 50.60% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 73 | 49.32% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 95 | 51.58% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 1.25% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 2 | 50.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 50.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

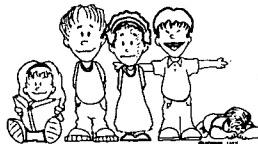
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 46 | 14.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 43 | 17.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,542.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 38 | 10.58% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 32 | 8.91% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|---|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|---|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 0 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Billings (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|-------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$13,464.27 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 90.22 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 1 | 50.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 1 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 14 | 15.05% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 3 | 21.43% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 4 | 28.57% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 6 | 42.86% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 1 | 7.14% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 7 | 50.00% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 6 | 42.86% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 1 | 7.14% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | NA | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

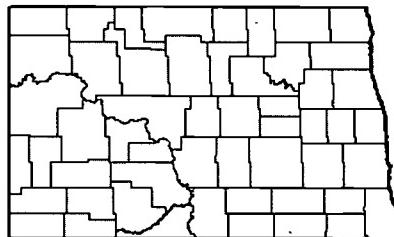
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|--|---|---------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 2 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 2 | 100.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 0 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 0 | 0.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 0 | 0.00% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 0 | 0.00% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Billings | (%) | ND | (%) | Billings | (%) | ND | (%) | Billings | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1 | 0.27% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 2 | 0.58% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 0 | 0.00% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 22 | 5.98% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 30 | 8.65% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 28 | 8.07% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 35 | 32.11% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 39 | 36.11% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 36 | 38.30% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 14.29% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 9 | 2.81% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 16 | 5.32% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 19 | 6.31% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 4 | 1.25% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 2 | 0.66% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 2 | 0.66% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 14.29% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 16.67% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Bottineau County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Bottineau |
| State Population Rank : | 18 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,668.7 |
| Number of Households : | 2,808 |
| Number of Families : | 1,967 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Bottineau | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 7,241 | 1.14% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 430 | 5.94% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 655 | 9.05% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 604 | 8.34% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,818 | 25.11% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,789 | 98.40% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 2 | 0.11% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 19 | 1.05% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 8 | 0.44% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 20 | 1.10% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 230 | 11.15% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 987 | 77.20% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 399 | 70.18% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 588 | 81.97% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 15 | 0.83% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 13 | 86.67% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 13.33% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

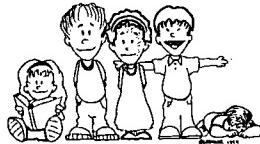
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 305 | 17.20% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 209 | 15.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,295.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 385 | 19.05% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 103 | 5.10% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 19 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 245 | 20.54% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 1.26% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 140 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Bottineau (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,284.35 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,234.01 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 11 | 78.57% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 11 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 186 | 15.33% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 8 | 4.30% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 82 | 44.09% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 83 | 44.62% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 13 | 6.99% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 5 | 2.69% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 51 | 27.42% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 95 | 51.08% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 13 | 6.99% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.8 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION I

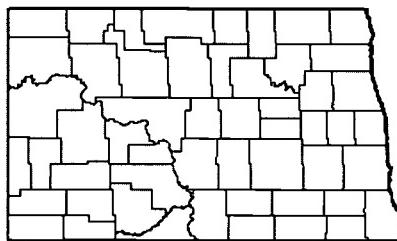
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 19 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 10.53% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 13 | 68.42% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 43 | 2.55% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 116 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 57 | 49.14% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 9 | 7.76% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 26 | 22.41% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 24 | 20.69% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 8 | 1.42% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Bottineau | (%) | ND | (%) | Bottineau | (%) | ND | (%) | Bottineau | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 84 | 4.08% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 57 | 2.82% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 64 | 3.20% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 243 | 11.79% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 263 | 13.01% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 246 | 12.29% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 378 | 27.94% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 391 | 29.87% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 416 | 34.41% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 3 | 6.12% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 3.92% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 1.37% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 2.04% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.96% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 2.02% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 262 | 14.95% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 253 | 14.80% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 244 | 14.45% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 7 | 1.71% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 7 | 1.72% | 957 | 2.50% | 5 | 1.32% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 55 | 3.14% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 65 | 3.80% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 37 | 2.19% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 3 | 4.11% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 4.08% | 644 | 8.12% | 7 | 13.73% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Bowman County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Bowman |
| State Population Rank : | 36 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,162.1 |
| Number of Households : | 1,292 |
| Number of Families : | 898 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Bowman | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|---------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 3,269 | 0.52% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 206 | 6.30% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 315 | 9.64% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 255 | 7.80% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 827 | 25.30% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 827 | 100.00% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 0 | 0.00% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.00% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 6 | 0.73% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 99 | 9.81% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 500 | 84.40% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 213 | 84.98% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 287 | 83.97% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.48% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 25.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 75.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

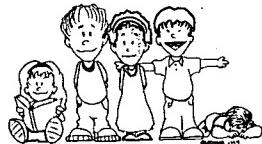
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 117 | 13.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 89 | 13.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,500.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 126 | 12.50% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 85 | 8.43% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 54 | 9.41% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 2 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 10 | 1.74% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 128 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 11.11% | 474 | 6.21% |



Bowman (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,158.29 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 765.04 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 2 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 2 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 68 | 8.96% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 8 | 11.76% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 30 | 44.12% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 25 | 36.76% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 5 | 7.35% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 28 | 41.18% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 28 | 41.18% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 7 | 10.29% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

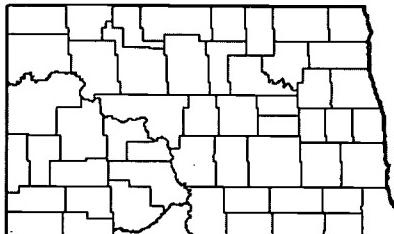
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 5 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 1 | 20.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 2 | 40.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 11 | 1.42% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 50 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 23 | 46.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 8 | 16.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 7 | 14.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 8 | 16.00% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 4 | 8.00% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 10 | 5.08% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Bowman | (%) | ND | (%) | Bowman | (%) | ND | (%) | Bowman | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | .24 | 2.63% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 10 | 1.10% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 11 | 1.22% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 48 | 5.25% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 75 | 8.26% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 81 | 9.01% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 192 | 23.85% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 191 | 23.90% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 212 | 27.97% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 2.86% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 2.94% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 2.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 44 | 5.54% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 51 | 6.47% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 65 | 8.38% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.33% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.33% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 14 | 1.76% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 16 | 2.03% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 7 | 0.90% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 5.71% | 631 | 7.55% | 0 | 0.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 5.56% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Burke County

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | Bowbells |
| State Population Rank : | 47 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,103.6 |
| Number of Households : | 915 |
| Number of Families : | 629 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Burke | % | North Dakota | % |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,189 | 0.35% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 102 | 4.66% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 193 | 8.82% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 157 | 7.17% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 481 | 21.97% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 470 | 97.71% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 6 | 1.25% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 5 | 1.04% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 9 | 1.87% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 74 | 9.97% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 337 | 62.91% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 122 | 59.84% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 215 | 64.65% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.42% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 50.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 50.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

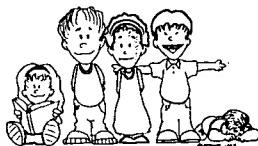
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 85 | 17.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 62 | 15.30% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$23,021.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 181 | 24.73% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 89 | 12.16% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 50 | 15.24% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 1 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 5 | 1.52% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 41 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 11.76% | 474 | 6.21% |



Burke (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

REGION II

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$6,456.21 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 376.48 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | NA | NA | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | NA | NA | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | NA | NA | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 55 | 14.67% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 2 | 3.64% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 20 | 36.36% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 30 | 54.55% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 3 | 5.45% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 1 | 1.82% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 18 | 32.73% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 32 | 58.18% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 3 | 5.45% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

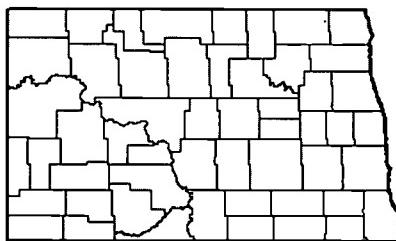
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 9 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 8 | 88.89% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 23 | 5.09% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 13 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 6 | 46.15% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 4 | 30.77% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 7.69% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 2 | 15.38% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 0 | 0.00% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 2 | 1.30% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Burke | (%) | ND | (%) | Burke | (%) | ND | (%) | Burke | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 20 | 3.51% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 19 | 3.52% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 11 | 2.11% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 54 | 9.49% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 46 | 8.52% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 62 | 11.88% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 119 | 27.61% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 127 | 31.28% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 122 | 32.45% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 2 | 5.13% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 66 | 13.33% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 57 | 12.18% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 53 | 11.73% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.58% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.61% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.69% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 14 | 2.83% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 15 | 3.21% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 18 | 3.98% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 5.88% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 11.11% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Burleigh County

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | Bismarck |
| State Population Rank : | 2 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,633.2 |
| Number of Households : | 25,385 |
| Number of Families : | 17,717 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Burleigh | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 67,371 | 10.63% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 5,009 | 7.43% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 6,577 | 9.76% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 5,429 | 8.06% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 18,158 | 26.95% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 16,899 | 93.07% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 38 | 0.21% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1,049 | 5.78% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 172 | 0.95% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 283 | 1.56% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 2,632 | 15.72% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 8,516 | 81.29% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 4,000 | 76.00% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 4,516 | 85.98% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
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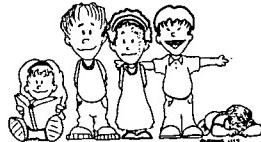
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 2,148 | 12.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,327 | 10.40% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$36,119.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 1,284 | 7.71% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 836 | 5.02% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 227 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 3,788 | 30.09% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 86 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 430 | 3.42% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 1,806 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 51 | 6.30% | 474 | 6.21% |



Burleigh (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,739.15 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 11,397.60 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 186 | 55.36% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 178 | 95.70% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 8 | 4.30% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 1,302 | 11.84% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 158 | 12.14% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 578 | 44.39% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 506 | 38.86% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 60 | 4.61% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 55 | 4.22% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 404 | 31.03% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 519 | 39.86% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 149 | 11.44% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

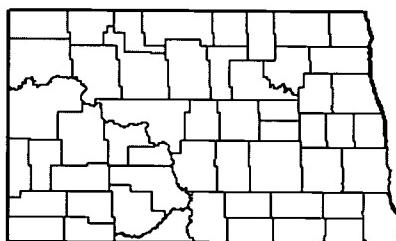
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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 455 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 55 | 12.09% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 316 | 69.45% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 451 | 2.65% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,802 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 295 | 16.37% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 539 | 29.91% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 6 | 0.33% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 532 | 29.52% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 430 | 23.86% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 35 | 0.98% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Burleigh | (%) | ND | (%) | Burleigh | (%) | ND | (%) | Burleigh | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,411 | 7.03% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,125 | 5.58% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 986 | 4.89% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,748 | 8.71% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,925 | 9.54% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 2,145 | 10.64% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 2,182 | 18.47% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 2,175 | 18.17% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 2,105 | 17.49% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 34 | 3.87% | 367 | 4.39% | 41 | 4.96% | 382 | 4.82% | 23 | 2.84% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 9 | 1.03% | 52 | 0.62% | 11 | 1.33% | 68 | 0.86% | 6 | 0.74% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 6 | 1.37% | 64 | 1.09% | 3 | 0.65% | 73 | 1.23% | 5 | 1.02% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 2,465 | 14.47% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 2,391 | 14.02% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 2,464 | 14.48% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 131 | 3.96% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 97 | 2.91% | 957 | 2.50% | 104 | 2.85% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 721 | 4.23% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 739 | 4.33% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 778 | 4.57% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 69 | 7.86% | 631 | 7.55% | 59 | 7.13% | 644 | 8.12% | 40 | 4.94% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Cass County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Fargo |
| State Population Rank : | 1 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,765.7 |
| Number of Households : | 46,363 |
| Number of Families : | 29,057 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Cass | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|---------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 118,405 | 18.69% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 8,747 | 7.39% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 10,384 | 8.77% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 9,084 | 7.67% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 30,199 | 25.50% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 28,828 | 95.46% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 165 | 0.55% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 603 | 2.00% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 602 | 1.99% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 501 | 1.66% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 3,779 | 14.71% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 13,236 | 79.73% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 6,786 | 75.10% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 6,450 | 84.60% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 322 | 1.07% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 225 | 69.88% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 97 | 30.12% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

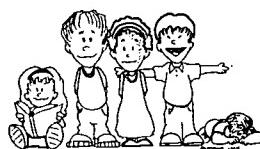
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 3,178 | 11.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,890 | 9.60% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$35,293.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 1,941 | 7.66% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,143 | 4.51% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 437 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 8,434 | 40.75% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 183 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 910 | 4.40% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,493 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 112 | 6.85% | 474 | 6.21% |



Cass (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,097.10 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19,604.58 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 193 | 40.04% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 193 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 2,097 | 10.93% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 229 | 10.92% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 922 | 43.97% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 843 | 40.20% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 103 | 4.91% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 258 | 12.30% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 579 | 27.61% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 748 | 35.67% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 215 | 10.25% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.4 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

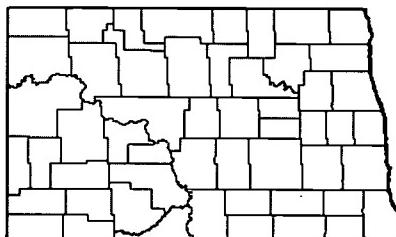
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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 1,030 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 117 | 11.36% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 492 | 47.77% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 608 | 2.15% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 2,418 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 481 | 19.89% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 447 | 18.49% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 19 | 0.79% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 728 | 30.11% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 743 | 30.73% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 100 | 1.60% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Cass | (%) | ND | (%) | Cass | (%) | ND | (%) | Cass | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,805 | 5.32% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,468 | 4.25% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1,487 | 4.27% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 2,863 | 8.43% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 3,377 | 9.78% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 3,601 | 10.34% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 3,459 | 18.88% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 3,337 | 17.77% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 3,437 | 17.35% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 45 | 2.76% | 367 | 4.39% | 38 | 2.36% | 382 | 4.82% | 37 | 2.26% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 9 | 0.55% | 52 | 0.62% | 15 | 0.93% | 68 | 0.86% | 7 | 0.43% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 5 | 0.69% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 0.25% | 73 | 1.23% | 4 | 0.52% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 3,585 | 12.93% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 3,569 | 12.72% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 3,697 | 13.10% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 210 | 3.43% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 209 | 3.81% | 957 | 2.50% | 213 | 3.37% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,472 | 5.31% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,566 | 5.58% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,622 | 5.75% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 79 | 4.84% | 631 | 7.55% | 109 | 6.78% | 644 | 8.12% | 86 | 5.26% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Cavalier County

County Seat : Langdon
 State Population Rank : 26
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,489.1
 Number of Households : 1,890
 Number of Families : 1,332

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Cavalier | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--|----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,821 | 0.76% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 312 | 6.47% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 429 | 8.90% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 341 | 7.07% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,150 | 23.85% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,133 | 98.52% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.09% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 15 | 1.30% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.09% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 3 | 0.26% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 84 | 5.14% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 772 | 64.25% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 397 | 59.45% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 375 | 69.33% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 3 | 0.26% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 33.33% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 66.67% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

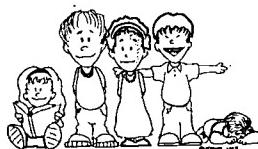
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 222 | 18.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 153 | 16.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$26,935.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 332 | 20.28% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 138 | 8.43% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 10 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 185 | 22.81% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 20 | 2.47% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 165 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 3.33% | 474 | 6.21% |



Cavalier (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,392.96 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 855.08 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 12 | 60.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 12 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 92 | 10.99% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 15 | 16.30% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 33 | 35.87% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 41 | 44.57% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 3 | 3.26% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 5 | 5.43% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 19 | 20.65% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 51 | 55.43% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 8 | 8.70% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.8 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION III

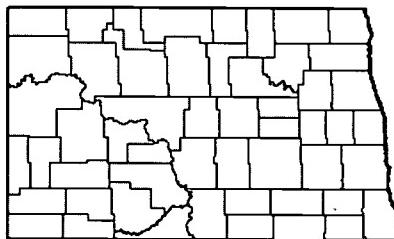
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 8 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 50.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 3 | 37.50% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 11 | 1.02% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 76 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 24 | 31.58% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 8 | 10.53% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 9 | 11.84% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 20 | 26.32% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 15 | 19.74% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 2 | 0.79% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Cavalier | (%) | ND | (%) | Cavalier | (%) | ND | (%) | Cavalier | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 45 | 3.32% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 48 | 3.63% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 24 | 1.92% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 104 | 7.66% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 100 | 7.55% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 147 | 11.78% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 316 | 31.01% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 309 | 30.44% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 296 | 31.93% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 4 | 8.16% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 4.88% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 6.67% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.45% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 2.99% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 124 | 10.47% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 133 | 11.57% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 145 | 13.40% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.29% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.31% | 957 | 2.50% | 6 | 1.90% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 34 | 2.87% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 24 | 2.09% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 15 | 1.39% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 4.08% | 631 | 7.55% | 0 | 0.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 3.33% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Dickey County

County Seat : Ellendale
 State Population Rank : 23
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,131.1
 Number of Households : 2,135
 Number of Families : 1,501

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Dickey | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,662 | 0.89% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 329 | 5.81% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 509 | 8.99% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 469 | 8.28% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,408 | 24.87% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,387 | 98.51% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 2 | 0.14% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 8 | 0.57% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 12 | 0.85% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 24 | 1.70% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,662 | 0.89% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 329 | 5.81% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 509 | 8.99% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 469 | 8.28% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
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| Asian, Pacific Islander | 12 | 0.85% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 24 | 1.70% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 162 | 10.61% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 697 | 73.17% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 303 | 60.07% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 394 | 83.25% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.28% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 25.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 75.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

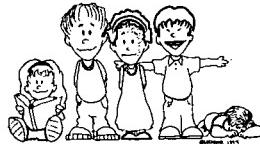
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 267 | 19.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 190 | 18.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,500.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 157 | 10.43% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 173 | 11.50% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 20 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 299 | 32.54% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 9 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 45 | 4.90% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 119 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 3 | 5.08% | 474 | 6.21% |



Dickey (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$3,921.56 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 981.34 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 22 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 22 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 102 | 10.20% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 7 | 6.86% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 56 | 54.90% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 37 | 36.27% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 2 | 1.96% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 6 | 5.88% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 34 | 33.33% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 40 | 39.22% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 17 | 16.67% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

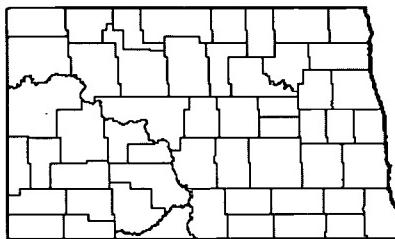
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 18 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 22.22% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 12 | 66.67% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 58 | 4.44% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 87 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 25 | 28.74% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 11 | 12.64% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 37 | 42.53% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 8 | 9.20% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 6 | 6.90% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 15 | 3.72% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Dickey | (%) | ND | (%) | Dickey | (%) | ND | (%) | Dickey | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 64 | 4.02% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 49 | 3.08% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 34 | 2.15% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 230 | 14.46% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 229 | 14.39% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 231 | 14.62% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 279 | 28.85% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 276 | 30.36% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 299 | 30.67% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 3 | 5.56% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 1.79% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 1.69% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.69% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 1.20% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 217 | 16.41% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 220 | 16.68% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 209 | 15.99% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 2 | 0.64% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.33% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 27 | 2.04% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 40 | 3.03% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 30 | 2.30% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 3.70% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 3.57% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 5.08% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



Divide County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Crosby |
| State Population Rank : | 45 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,259.4 |
| Number of Households : | 945 |
| Number of Families : | 658 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Divide | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,294 | 0.36% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 134 | 5.84% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 186 | 8.11% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 136 | 5.93% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 480 | 20.92% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 471 | 98.13% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.21% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 6 | 1.25% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.42% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 6 | 1.25% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 81 | 11.71% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 313 | 79.23% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 142 | 83.10% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 171 | 76.02% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 5 | 1.04% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 2 | 40.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 60.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

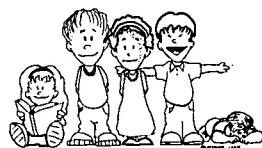
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 93 | 18.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 66 | 17.40% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$25,227.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 128 | 18.47% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 18 | 2.60% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

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|--|----|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 30 | 8.55% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 2 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 10 | 2.85% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

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|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 27 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Divide (%) North Dakota (%)

REGION I

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,634.24 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 362.33 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | | NA | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | | NA | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | | NA | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 19 | 5.23% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 1 | 5.26% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 10 | 52.63% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 7 | 36.84% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 1 | 5.26% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 8 | 42.11% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 9 | 47.37% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 1 | 5.26% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

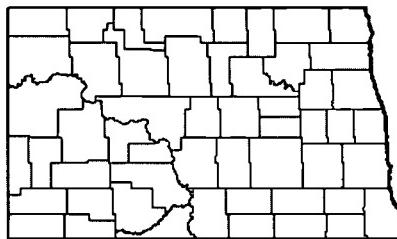
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 12 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 3 | 25.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 4 | 33.33% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 3 | 0.66% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 49 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 27 | 55.10% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 5 | 10.20% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 2.04% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 8 | 16.33% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 8 | 16.33% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Divide | (%) | ND | (%) | Divide | (%) | ND | (%) | Divide | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 17 | 3.06% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 12 | 2.23% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 12 | 2.32% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 53 | 9.53% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 53 | 9.87% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 41 | 7.92% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 123 | 29.85% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 145 | 35.45% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 149 | 41.97% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 6.67% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 9.09% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 2.13% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 51 | 10.34% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 61 | 12.84% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 44 | 9.65% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.70% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.78% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 12 | 2.43% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 19 | 4.00% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 16 | 3.51% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 6.67% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 18.18% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Dunn County

County Seat : Manning
 State Population Rank : 34
 Land Area (square miles) : 2,010.0
 Number of Households : 1,238
 Number of Families : 928

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Dunn | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|------|-----|--------------|-----|
|------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 3,457 | 0.55% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 284 | 8.22% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 397 | 11.48% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 268 | 7.75% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 997 | 28.84% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 821 | 82.35% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 175 | 17.55% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.20% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 15 | 1.50% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 146 | 11.80% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 523 | 69.22% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 238 | 68.07% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 285 | 70.18% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 13 | 1.30% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 10 | 76.92% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 23.08% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

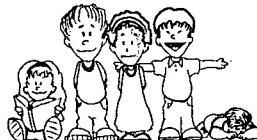
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 218 | 21.20% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 163 | 21.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$23,393.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 189 | 15.17% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 173 | 13.88% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 68 | 9.19% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 48 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 3.23% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$7,327.33 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 613.06 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 9 | 42.86% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 1 | 11.11% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 1 | 11.11% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 7 | 77.78% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 59 | 9.75% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 7 | 11.86% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 21 | 35.59% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 26 | 44.07% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 5 | 8.47% | 692 | 4.97% |
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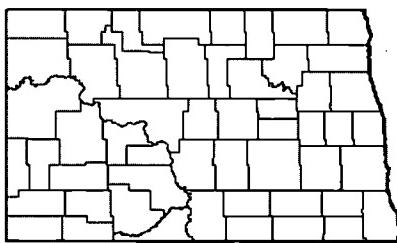
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| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 42 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 3 | 7.14% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|------|--------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Dunn | (%) | ND | (%) | Dunn | (%) | ND | (%) | Dunn | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 66 | 5.76% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 62 | 5.58% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 68 | 6.35% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
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| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 3.23% | 52 | 0.68% |
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North Dakota



Eddy County

County Seat : New Rockford
 State Population Rank : 42
 Land Area (square miles) : 632.1
 Number of Households : 1,131
 Number of Families : 759

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Eddy | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,795 | 0.44% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 162 | 5.80% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
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| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.15% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
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| | | | | |
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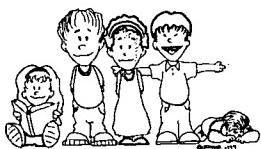
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Child Care

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
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| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 90 | 18.87% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 25 | 5.24% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

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|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
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North Dakota

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Education

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|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
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| Ages 12-17 | 24 | 39.34% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 6.56% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 2 | 3.28% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 23 | 37.70% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 26 | 42.62% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 3 | 4.92% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION III

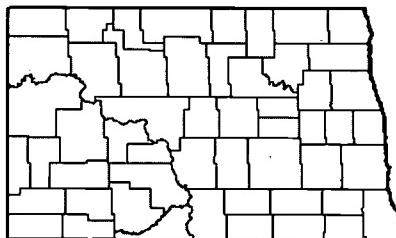
Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 4 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 3 | 75.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 5 | 0.79% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 62 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 19 | 30.65% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 16 | 25.81% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 4.84% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 7 | 11.29% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 17 | 27.42% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 6 | 4.51% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|------|--------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Eddy | [%] | ND | [%] | Eddy | [%] | ND | [%] | Eddy | [%] | ND | [%] |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 25 | 3.37% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 42 | 5.67% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 24 | 3.31% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 83 | 11.20% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 91 | 12.28% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 93 | 12.83% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 198 | 33.50% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 193 | 32.55% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 194 | 34.15% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 4.76% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 6.25% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 1.96% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 84 | 12.90% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 82 | 12.65% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 70 | 11.06% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.51% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 5 | 2.54% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 32 | 4.92% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 19 | 2.93% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 4 | 0.63% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 9.52% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 6.25% | 644 | 8.12% | 4 | 14.81% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Emmons County

County Seat : Linton
 State Population Rank : 29
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,510.0
 Number of Households : 1,644
 Number of Families : 1,226

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Emmons | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,302 | 0.68% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 248 | 5.76% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 360 | 8.37% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 308 | 7.16% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 979 | 22.76% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 973 | 99.39% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 3 | 0.31% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 4 | 0.41% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 5 | 0.51% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 71 | 5.71% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 569 | 68.72% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 248 | 67.34% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 321 | 69.78% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 1 | 0.10% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

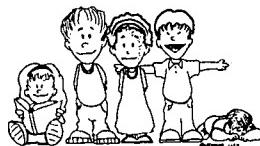
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 215 | 21.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 158 | 20.60% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$22,097.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 177 | 14.27% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 171 | 13.79% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 14 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 160 | 23.95% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 2.25% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 226 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Emmons (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,793.27 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 815.22 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 11 | 61.11% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 11 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 100 | 12.48% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 6 | 6.00% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 55 | 55.00% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 34 | 34.00% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 5 | 5.00% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 33 | 33.00% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 55 | 55.00% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 8 | 8.00% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.1 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

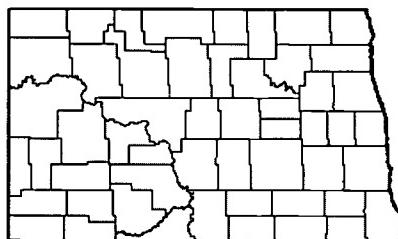
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 14 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 14.29% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 11 | 78.57% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 13 | 1.42% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 55 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 14 | 25.45% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 5 | 9.09% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 21 | 38.18% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 5 | 9.09% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 10 | 18.18% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Mult-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Emmons | (%) | ND | (%) | Emmons | (%) | ND | (%) | Emmons | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 29 | 2.59% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 10 | 0.92% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 3 | 0.28% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 60 | 5.35% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 69 | 6.32% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 48 | 4.49% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 357 | 43.80% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 350 | 42.94% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 365 | 45.45% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 2 | 4.17% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 2.38% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 64 | 6.62% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 62 | 6.62% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 44 | 4.80% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.40% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 2 | 0.95% | 957 | 2.50% | 4 | 1.57% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 20 | 2.07% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 11 | 1.18% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 34 | 3.71% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 4.76% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 3.33% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Foster County

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| County Seat : | Carrington |
| State Population Rank : | 32 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 635.3 |
| Number of Households : | 1,465 |
| Number of Families : | 1,049 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Foster | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 3,787 | 0.60% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 265 | 7.00% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 358 | 9.45% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 283 | 7.47% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 965 | 25.48% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 948 | 98.24% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 14 | 1.45% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.21% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 11 | 1.14% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 104 | 9.51% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 495 | 76.16% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 224 | 74.11% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 271 | 77.86% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.21% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

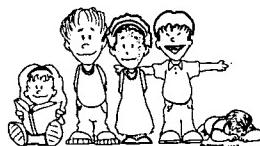
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 157 | 16.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 115 | 15.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$25,083.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 138 | 12.64% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 97 | 8.88% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 109 | 16.10% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 2 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 10 | 1.48% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 218 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 8 | 20.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Foster (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$3,924.91 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 731.79 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 5 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 5 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 64 | 8.48% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 5 | 7.81% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 28 | 43.75% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 29 | 45.31% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 2 | 3.13% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 18 | 28.13% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 31 | 48.44% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 7 | 10.94% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

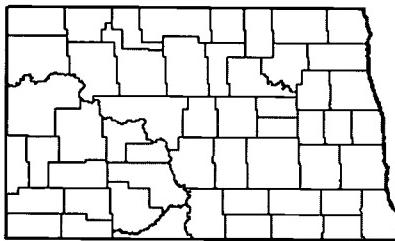
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 8 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 1 | 12.50% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 2 | 25.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 179 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 33 | 18.44% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 18 | 10.06% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 102 | 56.98% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 14 | 7.82% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 12 | 6.70% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 4 | 1.72% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Foster | (%) | ND | (%) | Foster | (%) | ND | (%) | Foster | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 53 | 5.02% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 29 | 2.72% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 23 | 2.19% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 118 | 11.18% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 122 | 11.46% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 122 | 11.64% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 154 | 21.04% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 138 | 18.65% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 135 | 18.12% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 2.63% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 3 | 4.48% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 161 | 17.56% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 120 | 13.02% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 112 | 12.36% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.46% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 4 | 1.73% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.43% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 20 | 2.18% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 32 | 3.47% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 10 | 1.10% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 6 | 15.79% | 631 | 7.55% | 3 | 6.52% | 644 | 8.12% | 4 | 10.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Golden Valley County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Beach |
| State Population Rank : | 50 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,002.0 |
| Number of Households : | 686 |
| Number of Families : | 462 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Golden Valley | I% | North Dakota | I% |
|---|---------------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 1,782 | 0.28% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 120 | 6.73% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 197 | 11.05% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 159 | 8.92% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 506 | 28.40% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 475 | 93.87% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 28 | 5.53% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.59% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 6 | 1.19% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 52 | 7.99% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 250 | 74.80% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 125 | 69.60% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 125 | 80.00% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 5 | 0.99% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 3 | 60.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 40.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

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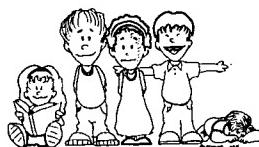
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 96 | 20.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 70 | 18.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,875.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 95 | 15.86% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 65 | 10.85% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 93 | 26.65% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 20 | 5.73% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 90 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Golden Valley

(%)

North Dakota

(%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,262.17 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 425.50 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 5 | 71.43% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 5 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 35 | 8.08% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
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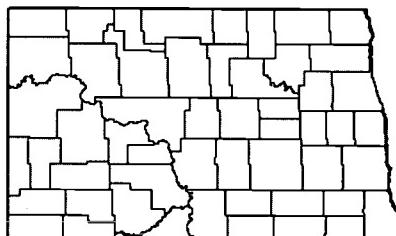
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 7 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 5 | 71.43% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 2 | 0.42% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 24 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 1 | 4.17% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 8 | 33.33% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 4.17% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 11 | 45.83% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 3 | 12.50% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 3 | 2.33% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|---------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|---------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Golden Valley | (%) | ND | (%) | Golden Valley | (%) | ND | (%) | Golden Valley | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 23 | 3.89% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 19 | 3.35% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 12 | 2.18% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 72 | 12.18% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 90 | 15.87% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 63 | 11.45% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 337 | 58.20% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 332 | 54.88% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 306 | 58.73% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 4.76% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 6.25% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 6.67% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 6.25% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 58 | 11.33% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 70 | 14.34% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 59 | 12.39% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 5 | 2.37% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 2 | 0.99% | 957 | 2.50% | 2 | 1.07% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 21 | 4.10% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 7 | 1.43% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 11 | 2.31% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 4.76% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 12.50% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 13.33% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Grand Forks County

| | |
|----------------------------|-------------|
| County Seat : | Grand Forks |
| State Population Rank : | 3 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,437.9 |
| Number of Households : | 23,225 |
| Number of Families : | 15,421 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Grand Forks | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--|-------------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--|-------------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 64,674 | 10.21% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 5,391 | 8.34% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 5,875 | 9.08% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 5,479 | 8.47% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 18,000 | 27.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 16,465 | 91.47% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 548 | 3.04% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 626 | 3.48% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 361 | 2.01% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 570 | 3.17% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 2,832 | 15.41% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 9,490 | 72.68% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 5,298 | 67.50% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 4,192 | 79.22% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 167 | 0.93% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 121 | 72.46% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 46 | 27.54% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

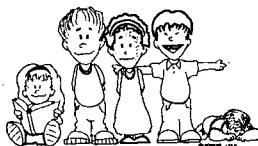
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 2,353 | 14.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,517 | 13.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,925.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 2,318 | 12.71% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 757 | 4.15% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 176 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 3,725 | 30.73% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 86 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 430 | 3.55% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,104 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 41 | 4.91% | 474 | 6.21% |



Grand Forks (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,084.49 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 11,071.38 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 255 | 72.03% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 255 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 1,420 | 13.11% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 206 | 14.51% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 624 | 43.94% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 545 | 38.38% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 45 | 3.17% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 165 | 11.62% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 436 | 30.70% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 557 | 39.23% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 110 | 7.75% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.1 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION IV

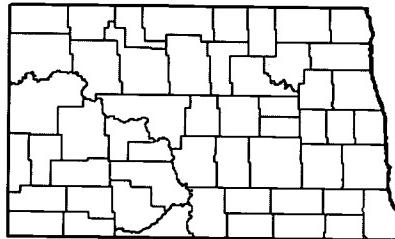
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 594 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 122 | 20.54% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 332 | 55.89% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 531 | 3.17% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,881 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 374 | 19.88% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 497 | 26.42% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 2 | 0.11% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 403 | 21.42% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 605 | 32.16% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 44 | 0.90% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|-------------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Grand Forks | (%) | ND | (%) | Grand Forks | (%) | ND | (%) | Grand Forks | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,192 | 5.25% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,075 | 4.94% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 912 | 4.34% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,647 | 7.25% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 2,030 | 9.32% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 2,300 | 10.95% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 3,016 | 24.59% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 2,847 | 24.47% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 2,834 | 25.52% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 23 | 2.28% | 367 | 4.39% | 56 | 5.79% | 382 | 4.82% | 24 | 2.87% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 5 | 0.50% | 52 | 0.62% | 6 | 0.62% | 68 | 0.86% | 5 | 0.60% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 2 | 0.49% | 64 | 1.09% | 7 | 1.75% | 73 | 1.23% | 3 | 0.73% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 2,582 | 14.16% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 2,733 | 15.69% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 2,810 | 16.78% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 94 | 2.73% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 53 | 1.59% | 957 | 2.50% | 60 | 1.74% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 1,044 | 5.73% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 1,251 | 7.18% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1,145 | 6.84% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 64 | 6.35% | 631 | 7.55% | 49 | 5.06% | 644 | 8.12% | 59 | 7.07% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Grant County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Carson |
| State Population Rank : | 38 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,659.6 |
| Number of Households : | 1,106 |
| Number of Families : | 805 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Grant | IJ | North Dakota | IJ |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,854 | 0.45% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 170 | 5.96% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 256 | 8.97% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 207 | 7.25% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 675 | 23.65% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 658 | 97.48% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.15% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 14 | 2.07% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.30% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 8 | 1.19% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 48 | 5.10% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 437 | 74.60% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 189 | 75.66% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 248 | 73.79% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 0 | 0.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

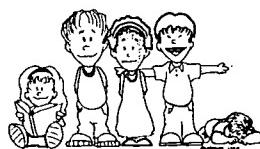
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 239 | 33.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 168 | 30.60% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$22,328.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 178 | 18.62% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 83 | 8.68% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 51 | 10.94% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 10 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 50 | 10.73% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 90 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 5.26% | 474 | 6.21% |



Grant (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,619.17 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 422.30 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 31 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 31 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 47 | 11.22% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 6 | 12.77% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 21 | 44.68% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 19 | 40.43% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 1 | 2.13% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 1 | 2.13% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 15 | 31.91% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 22 | 46.81% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 4 | 8.51% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

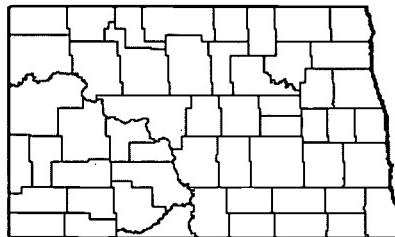
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 7 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 6 | 85.71% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 5 | 0.79% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 36 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 5 | 13.89% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 3 | 8.33% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 2.78% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 15 | 41.67% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 12 | 33.33% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 2 | 1.09% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Grant | (%) | ND | (%) | Grant | (%) | ND | (%) | Grant | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 18 | 2.25% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 27 | 3.51% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 25 | 3.41% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 82 | 10.26% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 63 | 8.19% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 71 | 9.69% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 346 | 67.71% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 336 | 67.33% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 338 | 72.07% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 8.33% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 5.26% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 4.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 8.33% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 3.13% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 95 | 13.75% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 102 | 15.38% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 87 | 13.74% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 5.41% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.65% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 15 | 2.17% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 7 | 1.06% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 15 | 2.37% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 8.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 8.33% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

RECOMMENDED

North Dakota



Griggs County

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|----------------------------|-------------|
| County Seat : | Cooperstown |
| State Population Rank : | 43 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 708.5 |
| Number of Households : | 1,089 |
| Number of Families : | 800 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Griggs | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,778 | 0.44% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 165 | 5.94% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 256 | 9.22% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 199 | 7.16% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 659 | 23.72% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 651 | 98.79% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 5 | 0.76% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.46% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 1 | 0.15% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 43 | 5.02% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 382 | 78.80% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 160 | 75.00% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 222 | 81.53% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 7 | 1.06% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 4 | 57.14% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 42.86% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

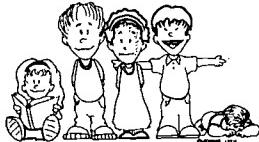
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 142 | 20.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 101 | 19.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$24,076.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 171 | 19.95% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 60 | 7.00% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 12 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 180 | 38.88% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 3.24% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 116 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 5.26% | 474 | 6.21% |



Griggs (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,429.43 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 601.75 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 2 | 40.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 2 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 47 | 7.69% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 4 | 8.51% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 14 | 29.79% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 24 | 51.06% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 5 | 10.64% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 2 | 4.26% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 8 | 17.02% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 20 | 42.55% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 9 | 19.15% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.7 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

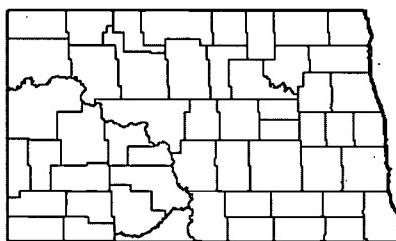
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 12 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 7 | 58.33% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 4 | 33.33% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 2 | 0.32% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 21 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 6 | 28.57% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 2 | 9.52% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 9 | 42.86% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 1 | 4.76% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 3 | 14.29% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Griggs | (%) | ND | (%) | Griggs | (%) | ND | (%) | Griggs | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 25 | 3.37% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 11 | 1.49% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 13 | 1.82% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 96 | 12.94% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 89 | 12.06% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 90 | 12.61% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 214 | 31.66% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 229 | 35.67% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 208 | 34.15% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 3 | 10.71% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 11.11% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 10.53% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 2.50% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 91 | 14.02% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 81 | 12.58% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 82 | 13.23% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 0.78% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 5 | 2.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 3 | 1.18% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 24 | 3.70% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 19 | 2.95% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 23 | 3.71% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 3.57% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 11.11% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 5.26% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



Hettinger County

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|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Mott |
| State Population Rank : | 39 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,132.3 |
| Number of Households : | 1,103 |
| Number of Families : | 810 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Hettinger | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,839 | 0.45% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 175 | 6.16% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 253 | 8.91% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 193 | 6.80% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 658 | 23.18% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 636 | 96.66% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 16 | 2.43% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 7 | 1.06% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 1 | 0.15% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 42 | 4.67% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 394 | 74.11% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 171 | 72.51% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 223 | 75.34% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.30% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 50.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 50.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

| | | | | |
|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 130 | 18.90% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 94 | 18.30% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$24,306.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 163 | 17.89% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 143 | 15.70% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 67 | 14.26% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 90 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 3.57% | 474 | 6.21% |



Nettinger (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,213.53 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 605.01 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 4 | 50.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 4 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 65 | 10.60% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 8 | 12.31% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 26 | 40.00% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 27 | 41.54% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 6.15% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 1 | 1.54% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 21 | 32.31% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 30 | 46.15% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 1 | 1.54% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

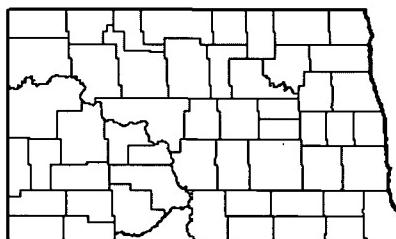
Children At Risk

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|--|----|---------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 4 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 4 | 100.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 7 | 1.13% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 21 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 7 | 33.33% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 2 | 9.52% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 14.29% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 7 | 33.33% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 2 | 9.52% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Nettinger | (%) | ND | (%) | Nettinger | (%) | ND | (%) | Nettinger | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 18 | 2.36% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 13 | 1.77% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 7 | 0.98% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 92 | 12.06% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 82 | 11.17% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 45 | 6.32% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 303 | 43.98% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 300 | 44.58% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 263 | 43.40% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 5.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 4.55% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 7.14% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 4.55% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 3.03% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 2.70% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 90 | 13.49% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 61 | 9.52% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 41 | 6.60% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 4 | 1.64% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 2 | 0.81% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 19 | 2.85% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 12 | 1.87% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 8 | 1.29% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 4.55% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 7.14% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Kidder County

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|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Steele |
| State Population Rank : | 41 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,351.6 |
| Number of Households : | 1,047 |
| Number of Families : | 802 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Kidder | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,798 | 0.44% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 164 | 5.86% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 267 | 9.54% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 219 | 7.83% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 692 | 24.73% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 690 | 99.71% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 0 | 0.00% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.29% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 3 | 0.43% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 71 | 7.75% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 386 | 75.39% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 152 | 62.50% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 234 | 83.76% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 3 | 0.43% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

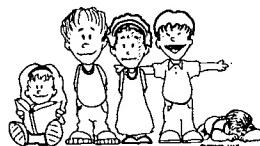
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 174 | 23.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 129 | 22.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$19,076.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 204 | 22.77% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 137 | 15.29% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 48 | 10.06% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 9 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 45 | 9.43% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 111 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 3.70% | 474 | 6.21% |



Kidder (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,857.27 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 497.92 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 3 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 3 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 50 | 9.77% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 4 | 8.00% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 24 | 48.00% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 22 | 44.00% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 0 | 0.00% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 18 | 36.00% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 26 | 52.00% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 3 | 6.00% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.7 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

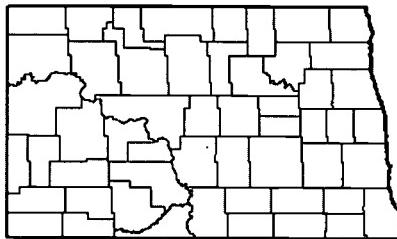
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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 9 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 22.22% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 6 | 66.67% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 8 | 1.23% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 102 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 9 | 8.82% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 83 | 81.37% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 3 | 2.94% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 7 | 6.86% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 8 | 4.30% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Kidder | (%) | ND | (%) | Kidder | (%) | ND | (%) | Kidder | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 11 | 1.36% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 14 | 1.77% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 3 | 0.40% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 70 | 8.67% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 62 | 7.86% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 73 | 9.71% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 238 | 40.20% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 228 | 41.08% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 220 | 43.56% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 2 | 6.90% | 367 | 4.39% | 3 | 17.65% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 3.70% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 2.63% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 5.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 64 | 9.14% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 56 | 8.22% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 43 | 6.62% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 9 | 4.43% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 3 | 1.52% | 957 | 2.50% | 2 | 1.11% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 15 | 2.14% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 31 | 4.55% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 23 | 3.54% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 4 | 13.79% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 11.76% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 11.11% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



LaMoure County

County Seat : LaMoure
 State Population Rank : 27
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,147.2
 Number of Households : 1,811
 Number of Families : 1,294

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | LaMoure | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|---------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,700 | 0.74% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 285 | 6.06% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 450 | 9.57% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 360 | 7.66% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,164 | 24.77% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,153 | 99.05% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 8 | 0.69% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.26% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 6 | 0.52% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 81 | 5.53% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 620 | 67.42% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 250 | 56.40% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 370 | 74.86% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 5 | 0.43% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 4 | 80.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 20.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

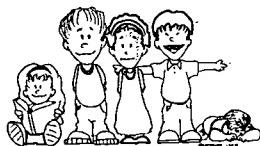
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 188 | 15.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 147 | 15.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$22,178.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 240 | 16.40% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 146 | 9.98% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 8 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 109 | 13.46% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 25 | 3.09% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 88 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 8.33% | 474 | 6.21% |



LaMoure (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,654.31 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,042.55 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 18 | 94.74% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 18 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 104 | 10.00% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 15 | 14.42% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 43 | 41.35% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 42 | 40.38% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 3.85% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 4 | 3.85% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 54 | 51.92% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
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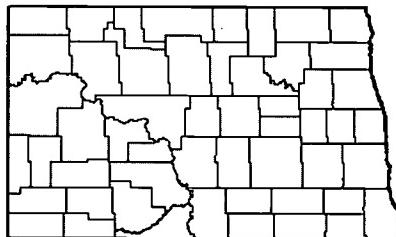
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 11 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 3 | 27.27% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 5 | 45.45% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 17 | 1.55% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 63 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 22 | 34.92% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 5 | 7.94% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 23 | 36.51% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 10 | 15.87% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 3 | 4.76% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 18 | 6.59% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | LaMoure | (%) | ND | (%) | LaMoure | (%) | ND | (%) | LaMoure | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 38 | 2.83% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 25 | 1.92% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 17 | 1.35% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 129 | 9.59% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 91 | 6.98% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 89 | 7.05% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 432 | 39.24% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 385 | 35.32% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 409 | 39.33% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 2 | 4.76% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 4.35% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 4.17% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 2.38% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.59% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 1.85% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 118 | 10.06% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 89 | 7.86% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 80 | 7.31% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 4 | 0.94% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.25% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 7 | 0.60% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 13 | 1.15% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 15 | 1.37% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 3 | 6.52% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

SECTION VI

North Dakota



Logan County

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|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | Napoleon |
| State Population Rank : | 46 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 992.7 |
| Number of Households : | 872 |
| Number of Families : | 653 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Logan | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,268 | 0.36% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 132 | 5.82% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 184 | 8.11% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 157 | 6.92% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 505 | 22.27% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 503 | 99.60% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 2 | 0.40% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.00% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 4 | 0.79% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 30 | 4.25% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 352 | 69.89% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 148 | 65.54% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 204 | 73.04% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 1 | 0.20% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND. Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement. | 1 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

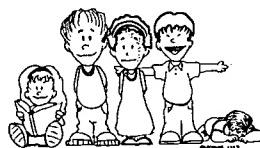
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 123 | 22.40% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 90 | 21.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$25,385.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 115 | 16.31% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 50 | 7.09% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 82 | 23.63% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 1 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 5 | 1.44% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 83 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,923.84 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 460.55 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 2 | 66.67% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 2 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 65 | 14.01% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 1 | 1.54% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 25 | 38.46% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 33 | 50.77% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 6 | 9.23% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 1 | 1.54% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 18 | 27.69% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 35 | 53.85% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 8 | 12.31% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.6 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

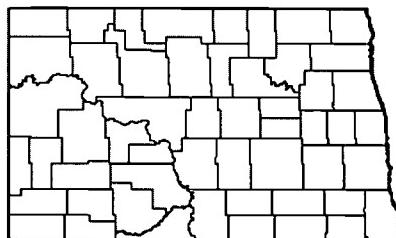
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 1 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 1 | 100.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 3 | 0.63% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 102 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 8 | 7.84% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 88 | 86.27% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 4 | 3.92% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 2 | 1.96% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Logan | (%) | ND | (%) | Logan | (%) | ND | (%) | Logan | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 6 | 1.01% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 3 | 0.52% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1 | 0.18% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 49 | 8.21% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 51 | 8.81% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 43 | 7.83% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 198 | 39.92% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 192 | 38.79% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 176 | 38.68% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 4.35% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 7.69% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 11.76% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 4.35% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 2.44% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 45 | 8.70% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 54 | 10.82% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 42 | 8.88% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.55% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 6 | 1.16% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 5 | 1.00% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1 | 0.21% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 8.70% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 7.69% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



McHenry County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Towner |
| State Population Rank : | 21 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,874.2 |
| Number of Households : | 2,330 |
| Number of Families : | 1,678 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| McHenry | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---------|-----|--------------|-----|
|---------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,962 | 0.94% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 351 | 5.89% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 579 | 9.71% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 454 | 7.61% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,471 | 24.67% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,445 | 98.23% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 17 | 1.16% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 9 | 0.61% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 8 | 0.54% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 181 | 10.23% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 841 | 67.18% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 358 | 59.50% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 483 | 72.88% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.27% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 4 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

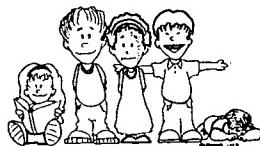
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 368 | 24.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 250 | 20.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$23,271.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 371 | 21.04% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 189 | 10.72% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 11 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 151 | 14.70% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 20 | 1.95% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 185 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 4 | 7.55% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,981.18 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,147.80 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 48 | 90.57% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 48 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 162 | 13.71% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 24 | 14.81% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 60 | 37.04% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 70 | 43.21% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 8 | 4.94% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 5 | 3.09% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 71 | 43.83% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 62 | 38.27% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 10 | 6.17% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.8 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION III

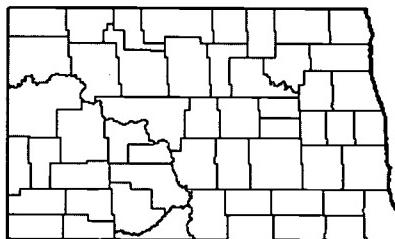
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 27 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 14.81% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 13 | 48.15% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 17 | 1.23% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 71 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 23 | 32.39% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 7 | 9.86% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 4 | 5.63% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 33 | 46.48% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 4 | 5.63% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 9 | 2.90% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | McHenry | (%) | ND | (%) | McHenry | (%) | ND | (%) | McHenry | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 81 | 4.86% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 72 | 4.41% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 48 | 3.01% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 215 | 12.91% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 237 | 14.50% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 234 | 14.66% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 423 | 34.50% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 385 | 32.82% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 400 | 34.63% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 1.64% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 1.59% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 1.89% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.41% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 231 | 15.92% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 240 | 16.93% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 230 | 16.62% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 4 | 0.93% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 3 | 0.70% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 83 | 5.72% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 49 | 3.46% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 47 | 3.40% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 7 | 11.48% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 3.17% | 644 | 8.12% | 4 | 7.55% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



McIntosh County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Ashley |
| State Population Rank : | 35 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 975.3 |
| Number of Households : | 1,426 |
| Number of Families : | 1,009 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| McIntosh | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
|----------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 3,397 | 0.54% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 169 | 4.97% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 251 | 7.39% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 164 | 4.83% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 616 | 18.13% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
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| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
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Family Composition

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| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 225 | 91.56% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.32% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
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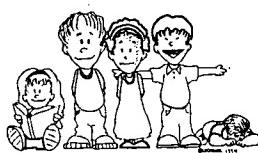
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Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 10 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 86 | 18.94% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 22 | 4.85% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 109 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 7.14% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,233.68 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 551.01 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 9 | 90.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
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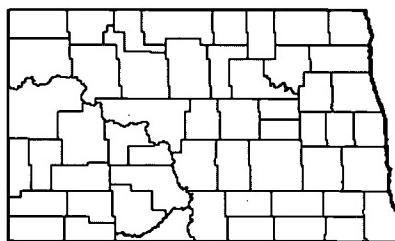
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| Services Recommended | 0 | 0.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 10 | 1.71% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 51 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 12 | 23.53% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 7 | 13.73% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 5.88% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 22 | 43.14% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 7 | 13.73% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | 1998 | | 1999 | | | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | McIntosh | (%) | ND | (%) | McIntosh | (%) | ND | (%) | McIntosh | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 14 | 1.93% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 10 | 1.46% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 4 | 0.60% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 76 | 10.45% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 90 | 13.18% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 88 | 13.25% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 247 | 41.51% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 229 | 39.21% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 227 | 40.83% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 4 | 12.90% | 367 | 4.39% | 3 | 12.50% | 382 | 4.82% | 3 | 10.71% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 1.45% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 80 | 12.46% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 84 | 13.98% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 65 | 11.13% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.42% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 4 | 1.90% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 10 | 1.56% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 8 | 1.33% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 3 | 0.51% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 3.23% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 4.17% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 3.57% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



McKenzie County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Watford |
| State Population Rank : | 24 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 2,742.2 |
| Number of Households : | 1,999 |
| Number of Families : | 1,460 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| McKenzie | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|----------|-----|--------------|-----|
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Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,541 | 0.87% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 531 | 9.58% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 660 | 11.91% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 470 | 8.48% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,753 | 31.64% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,283 | 73.19% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 469 | 26.75% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.06% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 36 | 2.05% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 272 | 12.88% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 877 | 68.19% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 393 | 61.83% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 484 | 73.35% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 13 | 0.74% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 11 | 84.62% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 15.38% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

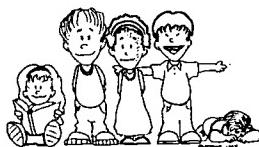
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 464 | 25.80% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 330 | 25.40% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,718.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 250 | 11.91% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 216 | 10.29% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 12 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 156 | 12.09% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 26 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 150 | 11.63% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

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|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 114 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 5 | 7.46% | 474 | 6.21% |


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North Dakota
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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$7,491.50 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,097.50 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 37 | 82.22% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 37 | 100.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 156 | 13.94% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 12 | 7.69% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 59 | 37.82% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 77 | 49.36% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 8 | 5.13% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 2 | 1.28% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 36 | 23.08% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 86 | 55.13% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 14 | 8.97% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

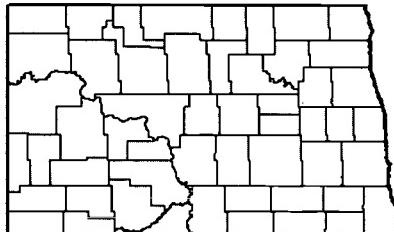
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 21 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 9.52% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 11 | 52.38% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 10 | 0.60% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 103 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 33 | 32.04% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 19 | 18.45% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 5 | 4.85% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 21 | 20.39% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 25 | 24.27% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 8 | 2.32% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | McKenzie | (%) | ND | (%) | McKenzie | (%) | ND | (%) | McKenzie | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 356 | 18.14% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 338 | 17.40% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 339 | 17.98% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 281 | 14.32% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 286 | 14.72% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 306 | 16.23% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 493 | 41.46% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 327 | 27.66% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 451 | 40.74% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 13 | 15.48% | 367 | 4.39% | 5 | 7.58% | 382 | 4.82% | 4 | 5.97% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 1.52% | 68 | 0.86% | 3 | 4.48% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.54% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 3 | 4.41% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 619 | 35.60% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 532 | 31.06% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 582 | 35.04% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 24 | 6.65% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 9 | 2.33% | 957 | 2.50% | 15 | 4.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 32 | 1.84% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 66 | 3.85% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 31 | 1.87% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 11 | 13.10% | 631 | 7.55% | 8 | 12.12% | 644 | 8.12% | 15 | 22.39% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



McLean County

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | Washburn |
| State Population Rank : | 14 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 2,110.4 |
| Number of Households : | 3,606 |
| Number of Families : | 2,649 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| McLean | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 9,603 | 1.52% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 624 | 6.50% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,009 | 10.51% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 786 | 8.18% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,569 | 26.75% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,283 | 88.87% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 277 | 10.78% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 9 | 0.35% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 17 | 0.66% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 321 | 10.51% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,459 | 67.44% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 631 | 60.86% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 828 | 72.46% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 20 | 0.78% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 11 | 55.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 9 | 45.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

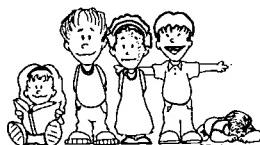
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 425 | 15.90% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 293 | 14.00% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,957.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 392 | 12.94% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 280 | 9.24% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 19 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 238 | 13.21% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 14 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 70 | 3.88% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 248 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 7 | 7.45% | 474 | 6.21% |



McLean (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,897.73 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 2,006.92 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 38 | 56.72% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 22 | 57.89% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 16 | 42.11% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 229 | 11.18% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 28 | 12.23% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 103 | 44.98% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 88 | 38.43% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 10 | 4.37% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 9 | 3.93% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 100 | 43.67% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 86 | 37.55% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 18 | 7.86% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.4 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

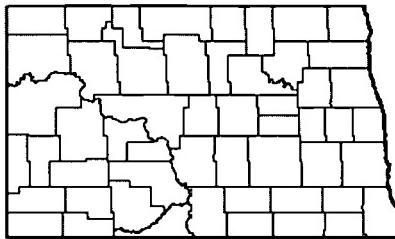
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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 24 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 7 | 29.17% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 13 | 54.17% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 116 | 4.80% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 129 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 34 | 26.36% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 15 | 11.63% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 55 | 42.64% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 25 | 19.38% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 10 | 1.88% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | McLean | (%) | ND | (%) | McLean | (%) | ND | (%) | McLean | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 220 | 7.72% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 171 | 6.05% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 127 | 4.58% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 232 | 8.14% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 259 | 9.16% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 298 | 10.75% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 622 | 27.78% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 583 | 27.24% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 598 | 29.44% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 10 | 11.11% | 367 | 4.39% | 5 | 5.75% | 382 | 4.82% | 4 | 4.26% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.76% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 0.85% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 1.52% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 294 | 11.75% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 322 | 13.03% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 344 | 14.22% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 9 | 1.08% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 6 | 0.74% | 957 | 2.50% | 17 | 2.27% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 43 | 1.72% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 29 | 1.17% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 37 | 1.53% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 9 | 10.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 12 | 13.79% | 644 | 8.12% | 9 | 9.57% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Mercer County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Stanton |
| State Population Rank : | 15 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,045.4 |
| Number of Households : | 3,347 |
| Number of Families : | 2,539 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Mercer | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 9,210 | 1.45% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 827 | 8.98% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,092 | 11.86% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 731 | 7.94% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,785 | 30.24% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,615 | 93.90% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 9 | 0.32% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 132 | 4.74% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
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| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 38 | 1.36% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 260 | 8.18% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,491 | 65.46% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 719 | 57.16% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 772 | 73.19% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 11 | 0.39% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
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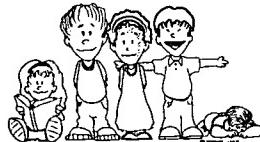
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 246 | 8.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 172 | 8.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$41,591.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 246 | 7.74% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 75 | 2.36% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 16 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 270 | 12.96% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 0.72% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
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| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 108 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 3 | 4.35% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

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| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,135.12 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
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| Ages 12-17 | 137 | 53.10% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 19 | 7.36% | 692 | 4.97% |
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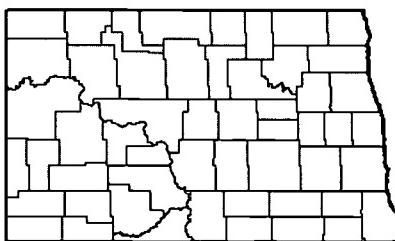
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| Services Required | 5 | 21.74% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 14 | 60.87% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 95 | 3.58% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 262 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 82 | 31.30% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 68 | 25.95% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 0.38% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 34 | 12.98% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
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Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Mercer | (%) | ND | (%) | Mercer | (%) | ND | (%) | Mercer | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 84 | 2.72% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 92 | 3.02% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 81 | 2.72% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 190 | 6.15% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 168 | 5.51% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 182 | 6.12% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 260 | 11.33% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 234 | 10.78% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 248 | 12.00% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 3 | 3.75% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 2.56% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 2.90% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 2 | 2.94% | 64 | 1.09% | 4 | 4.26% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 2.70% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 210 | 7.59% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 202 | 7.42% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 204 | 7.70% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 8 | 1.01% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 5 | 0.65% | 957 | 2.50% | 6 | 0.77% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 30 | 1.08% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 36 | 1.32% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 42 | 1.58% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 7 | 8.75% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 2.56% | 644 | 8.12% | 7 | 10.14% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Morton County

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|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Mandan |
| State Population Rank : | 5 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,926.4 |
| Number of Households : | 9,007 |
| Number of Families : | 6,600 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Morton | [%] | North Dakota | [%] |
|--|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
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Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 24,568 | 3.88% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,741 | 7.09% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 2,613 | 10.64% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 2,103 | 8.56% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 6,882 | 28.01% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 6,604 | 95.96% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 11 | 0.16% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 240 | 3.49% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 27 | 0.39% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 63 | 0.92% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 961 | 13.42% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 3,368 | 78.77% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,519 | 71.23% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 1,849 | 84.96% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 91 | 1.32% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 51 | 56.04% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 40 | 43.96% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

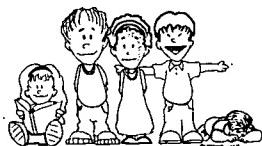
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 1,240 | 18.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 795 | 15.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,981.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 972 | 13.74% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 405 | 5.72% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 84 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 1,114 | 23.37% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 51 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 255 | 5.35% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 830 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 20 | 6.64% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,279.03 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 4,928.97 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 103 | 81.10% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 103 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 646 | 13.37% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 100 | 15.48% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 284 | 43.96% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 239 | 37.00% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 23 | 3.56% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 31 | 4.80% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 315 | 48.76% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 206 | 31.89% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 56 | 8.67% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.5 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

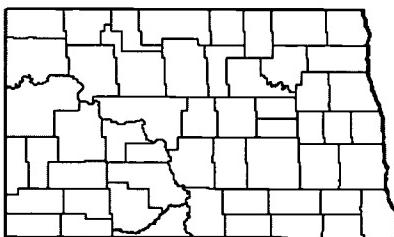
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 196 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 30 | 15.31% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 125 | 63.78% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 220 | 3.41% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 720 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 126 | 17.50% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 222 | 30.83% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 0.42% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 193 | 26.81% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 176 | 24.44% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 39 | 2.89% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Morton | [%] | ND | [%] | Morton | [%] | ND | [%] | Morton | [%] | ND | [%] |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 581 | 7.63% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 547 | 7.18% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 425 | 5.64% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 832 | 10.93% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 967 | 12.69% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 1,044 | 13.85% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,631 | 31.25% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 1,583 | 29.90% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,565 | 30.83% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 12 | 3.88% | 367 | 4.39% | 15 | 4.79% | 382 | 4.82% | 11 | 3.65% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 2 | 0.66% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 4 | 1.88% | 64 | 1.09% | 5 | 2.46% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 0.85% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 1,135 | 17.30% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,191 | 18.21% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,182 | 18.31% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 148 | 8.29% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 81 | 4.12% | 957 | 2.50% | 57 | 3.01% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 317 | 4.83% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 390 | 5.96% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 346 | 5.36% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 22 | 7.12% | 631 | 7.55% | 30 | 9.58% | 644 | 8.12% | 21 | 6.98% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Mountrail County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Stanley |
| State Population Rank : | 20 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,824.0 |
| Number of Households : | 2,405 |
| Number of Families : | 1,718 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Mountrail | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 6,516 | 1.03% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 512 | 7.86% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 729 | 11.19% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 570 | 8.75% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,925 | 29.54% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,225 | 63.64% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 3 | 0.16% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 690 | 35.84% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 8 | 0.42% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 26 | 1.35% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 370 | 17.55% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 955 | 73.40% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 434 | 68.43% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 521 | 77.54% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 15 | 0.78% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 11 | 73.33% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 4 | 26.67% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

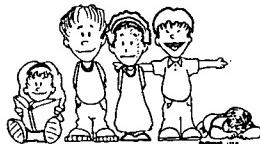
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 463 | 24.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 311 | 21.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$25,000.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 356 | 17.16% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 272 | 13.11% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 16 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 224 | 16.56% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 11 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 55 | 4.07% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 107 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 5 | 5.38% | 474 | 6.21% |



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REGION II

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,094.68 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,603.36 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 79 | 88.76% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 79 | 100.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 257 | 16.23% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 15 | 5.84% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 111 | 43.19% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 122 | 47.47% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 9 | 3.50% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 4 | 1.56% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 101 | 39.30% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 117 | 45.53% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 20 | 7.78% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.5 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

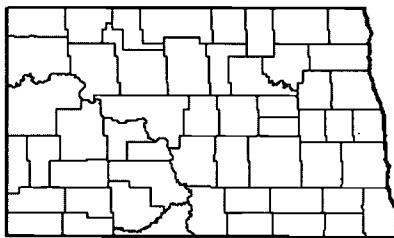
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 21 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 19.05% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 15 | 71.43% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 72 | 3.98% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 68 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 19 | 27.94% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 8 | 11.76% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 8 | 11.76% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 12 | 17.65% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 21 | 30.88% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 9 | 1.99% | 780 | 2.11% |

Mult-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Mountrain | (%) | ND | (%) | Mountrain | (%) | ND | (%) | Mountrain | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 320 | 15.00% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 312 | 14.68% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 361 | 17.27% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 231 | 10.83% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 212 | 9.98% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 271 | 12.97% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 923 | 56.28% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 881 | 53.72% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 917 | 58.07% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 14 | 14.29% | 367 | 4.39% | 6 | 8.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 7 | 7.53% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 2 | 2.04% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 1.33% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.08% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 6 | 6.06% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 1.37% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 2.41% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 434 | 23.35% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 441 | 23.93% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 510 | 28.16% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 27 | 5.49% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 17 | 3.46% | 957 | 2.50% | 31 | 6.26% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 38 | 2.04% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 31 | 1.68% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 41 | 2.26% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 10 | 10.20% | 631 | 7.55% | 15 | 20.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 10 | 10.75% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Nelson County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Lakota |
| State Population Rank : | 33 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 981.7 |
| Number of Households : | 1,520 |
| Number of Families : | 1,020 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Nelson | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 3,656 | 0.58% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 186 | 5.09% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 302 | 8.26% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 230 | 6.29% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 761 | 20.82% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 755 | 99.21% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.13% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 3 | 0.39% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.26% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 4 | 0.53% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 84 | 8.18% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 481 | 76.72% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 196 | 79.08% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 285 | 75.09% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.53% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 25.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 75.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

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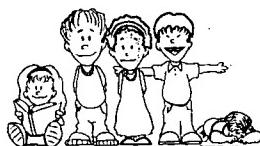
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 120 | 15.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 90 | 14.60% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$24,952.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 153 | 14.93% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 60 | 5.85% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 9 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 112 | 20.82% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 2.79% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 99 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Nelson (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,004.28 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 721.63 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 8 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 8 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 76 | 10.48% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 8 | 10.53% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 39 | 51.32% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 24 | 31.58% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
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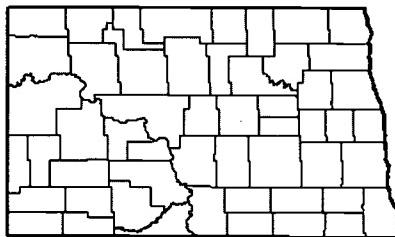
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 26 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 7 | 26.92% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 12 | 46.15% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 19 | 2.65% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 74 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 19 | 25.68% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 2 | 2.70% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 33 | 44.59% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 3 | 4.05% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 17 | 22.97% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 3 | 1.71% | 780 | 2.11% |

RECON IV

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Nelson | (%) | ND | (%) | Nelson | (%) | ND | (%) | Nelson | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 20 | 2.28% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 12 | 1.42% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 21 | 2.56% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 73 | 8.31% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 69 | 8.15% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 51 | 6.23% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 269 | 35.30% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 291 | 40.53% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 245 | 34.90% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 3.85% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 3.85% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 1.32% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 75 | 9.70% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 61 | 8.20% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 54 | 7.52% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.37% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 2 | 0.71% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 44 | 5.69% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 30 | 4.03% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 43 | 5.99% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 2.63% | 631 | 7.55% | 2 | 7.69% | 644 | 8.12% | 1 | 4.76% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Oliver County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Center |
| State Population Rank : | 49 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 723.6 |
| Number of Households : | 734 |
| Number of Families : | 584 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Oliver | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,158 | 0.34% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 160 | 7.41% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 263 | 12.19% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 202 | 9.36% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 664 | 30.77% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 648 | 97.59% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 15 | 2.26% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.15% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 3 | 0.45% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 31 | 3.88% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 334 | 65.87% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 150 | 62.67% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 184 | 68.48% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.60% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 25.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 75.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

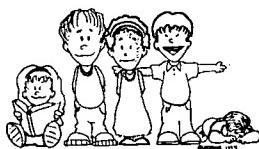
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 97 | 14.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 76 | 13.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$34,327.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 60 | 7.86% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 70 | 9.17% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 4 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 24 | 5.15% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|---|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 0 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 5 | 29.41% | 474 | 6.21% |



Oliver (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,559.21 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 346.34 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | NA | NA | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | NA | NA | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | NA | NA | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 38 | 11.84% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 9 | 23.68% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 27 | 71.05% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 2 | 5.26% | .692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 2 | 5.26% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 6 | 15.79% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 25 | 65.79% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 2 | 5.26% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

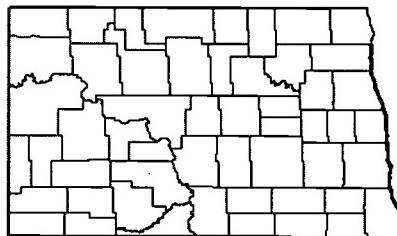
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 8 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 1 | 12.50% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 5 | 62.50% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 2 | 0.32% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 31 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 4 | 12.90% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 3 | 9.68% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 2 | 6.45% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 19 | 61.29% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 3 | 9.68% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 6 | 4.80% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Oliver | (%) | ND | (%) | Oliver | (%) | ND | (%) | Oliver | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 19 | 2.55% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 22 | 2.96% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 13 | 1.82% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 37 | 4.97% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 31 | 4.17% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 50 | 6.98% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 69 | 18.85% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 65 | 18.57% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 48 | 15.00% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 5.88% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 5.88% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 7.69% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 47 | 7.18% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 54 | 8.29% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 52 | 8.32% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 3 | 2.29% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 21 | 3.21% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 17 | 2.61% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 16 | 2.56% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 5.88% | 631 | 7.55% | 0 | 0.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 17.65% | 603 | 7.90% |

SECTION VII

North Dakota



Pembina County

County Seat : Cavalier
 State Population Rank : 17
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,118.8
 Number of Households : 3,218
 Number of Families : 2,271

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Pembina | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|---------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 8,351 | 1.32% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 561 | 6.72% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 827 | 9.90% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 652 | 7.81% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,168 | 25.96% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,095 | 96.63% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 3 | 0.14% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 62 | 2.86% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 8 | 0.37% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 39 | 1.80% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 253 | 9.76% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,203 | 72.07% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 515 | 68.35% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 688 | 74.85% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 6 | 0.28% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 4 | 66.67% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 2 | 33.33% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

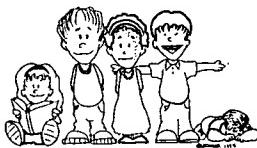
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 329 | 14.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 217 | 12.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,182.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 371 | 14.42% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 101 | 3.93% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 21 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 418 | 27.48% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 25 | 1.64% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 365 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 6 | 7.69% | 474 | 6.21% |



Pembina

(%)

North Dakota

(%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,497.14 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,785.80 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 12 | 66.67% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 12 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 226 | 12.48% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 17 | 7.52% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 94 | 41.59% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 103 | 45.58% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 12 | 5.31% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 20 | 8.85% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 60 | 26.55% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 89 | 39.38% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 33 | 14.60% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

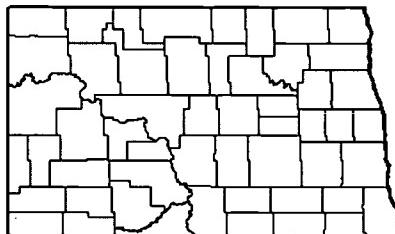
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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 46 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 9 | 19.57% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 30 | 65.22% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 36 | 1.76% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 237 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 64 | 27.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 20 | 8.44% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 53 | 22.36% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 100 | 42.19% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 11 | 2.44% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION IV

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Pembina | (%) | ND | (%) | Pembina | (%) | ND | (%) | Pembina | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 119 | 4.79% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 87 | 3.57% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 49 | 2.08% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 237 | 9.54% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 200 | 8.22% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 179 | 7.60% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 427 | 22.30% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 426 | 22.58% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 426 | 24.71% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 5 | 5.21% | 367 | 4.39% | 5 | 6.85% | 382 | 4.82% | 6 | 7.69% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 4 | 4.17% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 1.37% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.28% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.81% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 1.04% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 386 | 17.80% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 354 | 16.75% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 289 | 14.17% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 18 | 2.92% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 4 | 0.64% | 957 | 2.50% | 6 | 0.96% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 93 | 4.29% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 86 | 4.07% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 74 | 3.63% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 5 | 5.21% | 631 | 7.55% | 8 | 10.96% | 644 | 8.12% | 5 | 6.41% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Pierce County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Rugby |
| State Population Rank : | 28 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,017.9 |
| Number of Households : | 1,793 |
| Number of Families : | 1,238 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Pierce | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,594 | 0.72% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 252 | 5.49% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 418 | 9.10% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 341 | 7.42% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,077 | 23.44% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,056 | 98.05% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 8 | 0.74% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 14 | 1.30% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 0 | 0.00% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 145 | 11.27% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 622 | 81.67% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 249 | 88.76% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 373 | 76.94% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.37% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 4 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

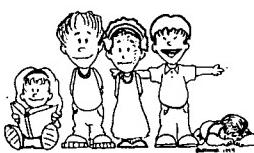
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 233 | 20.40% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 158 | 17.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$26,167.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 295 | 22.92% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 52 | 4.04% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 11 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 159 | 21.49% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 30 | 4.05% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 152 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 5 | 11.36% | 474 | 6.21% |



Pierce (%) North Dakota (%)

REGION II

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,037.09 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 798.35 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 12 | 80.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 12 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 102 | 12.47% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 10 | 9.80% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 44 | 43.14% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 41 | 40.20% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 7 | 6.86% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 1 | 0.98% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 28 | 27.45% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 55 | 53.92% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 4 | 3.92% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.6 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

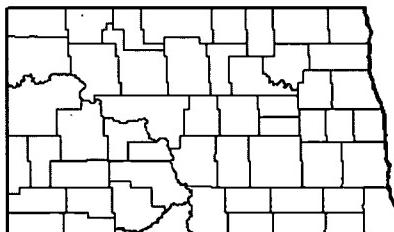
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 16 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 3 | 18.75% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 10 | 62.50% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 37 | 3.66% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 76 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 26 | 34.21% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 9 | 11.84% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 31 | 40.79% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 10 | 13.16% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 5 | 1.79% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Pierce | (%) | ND | (%) | Pierce | (%) | ND | (%) | Pierce | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 33 | 2.69% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 30 | 2.46% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 39 | 3.31% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 170 | 13.88% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 202 | 16.56% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 201 | 17.06% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 287 | 30.15% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 254 | 26.85% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 277 | 30.41% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 3 | 5.17% | 367 | 4.39% | 3 | 6.25% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 4.55% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 157 | 14.84% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 154 | 14.67% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 168 | 16.62% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 0.57% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 6 | 1.74% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.29% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 28 | 2.65% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 20 | 1.90% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 29 | 2.87% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 3.45% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 2.08% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 6.82% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Ramsey County

County Seat : Devils Lake
 State Population Rank : 12
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,186.2
 Number of Households : 4,691
 Number of Families : 3,163

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Ramsey | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 11,944 | 1.88% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 841 | 7.04% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,136 | 9.51% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 917 | 7.68% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 3,085 | 25.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,731 | 88.53% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 12 | 0.39% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 326 | 10.57% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 16 | 0.52% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 31 | 1.00% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 662 | 19.79% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,644 | 80.05% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 780 | 73.59% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 864 | 85.88% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 64 | 2.07% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 44 | 68.75% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 20 | 31.25% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

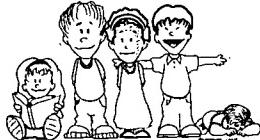
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 658 | 22.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 420 | 19.00% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,794.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 585 | 17.77% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 266 | 8.08% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 37 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 748 | 34.77% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 18 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 90 | 4.18% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 622 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 8 | 6.06% | 474 | 6.21% |



Ramsey (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,524.06 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 2,336.67 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 62 | 74.70% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 30 | 48.39% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 22 | 35.48% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 10 | 16.13% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 341 | 14.70% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 38 | 11.14% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 135 | 39.59% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 153 | 44.87% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 15 | 4.40% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 36 | 10.56% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 75 | 21.99% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 166 | 48.68% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 37 | 10.85% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION VIII

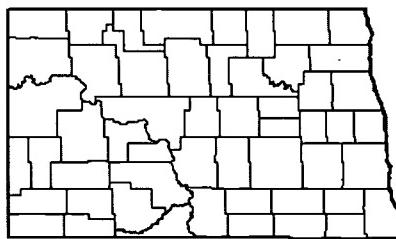
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 106 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 40 | 37.74% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 59 | 55.66% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 101 | 3.49% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 834 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 169 | 20.26% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 239 | 28.66% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 9 | 1.08% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 183 | 21.94% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 234 | 28.06% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 20 | 2.88% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Ramsey | (%) | ND | (%) | Ramsey | (%) | ND | (%) | Ramsey | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 370 | 10.46% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 315 | 9.09% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 299 | 8.79% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 490 | 13.86% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 536 | 15.47% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 600 | 17.63% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 954 | 36.04% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 866 | 33.63% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 889 | 34.79% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 11 | 7.05% | 367 | 4.39% | 6 | 3.85% | 382 | 4.82% | 6 | 4.55% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 0.64% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 0.64% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 0.76% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.65% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 0.65% | 73 | 1.23% | 4 | 2.47% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 726 | 23.92% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 685 | 23.17% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 743 | 25.67% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 10 | 1.23% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 12 | 1.43% | 957 | 2.50% | 23 | 2.76% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 174 | 5.73% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 199 | 6.73% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 194 | 6.70% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 27 | 17.31% | 631 | 7.55% | 17 | 10.90% | 644 | 8.12% | 16 | 12.12% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Ransom County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Lisbon |
| State Population Rank : | 22 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 862.8 |
| Number of Households : | 2,214 |
| Number of Families : | 1,555 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Ransom | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|
|--------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,731 | 0.90% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 357 | 6.23% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 538 | 9.39% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 422 | 7.36% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,400 | 24.43% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,387 | 99.07% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.07% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 4 | 0.29% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 8 | 0.57% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 16 | 1.14% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 147 | 9.60% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 713 | 72.23% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 322 | 72.98% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 391 | 71.61% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 1 | 0.07% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 100.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 0 | 0.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

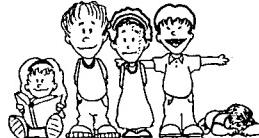
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 157 | 11.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 114 | 10.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$31,639.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 144 | 9.56% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 109 | 7.24% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 14 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 156 | 15.92% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 30 | 3.06% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 191 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 3 | 5.36% | 474 | 6.21% |



Ransom (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,168.86 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,158.28 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 10 | 62.50% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 10 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 147 | 12.60% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 21 | 14.29% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 61 | 41.50% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 60 | 40.82% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 5 | 3.40% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 11 | 7.48% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 49 | 33.33% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 57 | 38.78% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 7 | 4.76% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.6 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

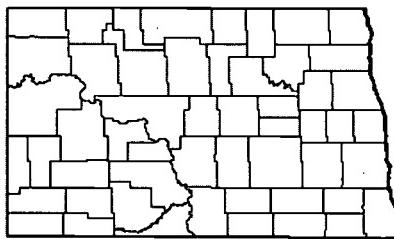
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 9 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 1 | 11.11% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 8 | 88.89% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 27 | 2.05% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 77 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 25 | 32.47% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 8 | 10.39% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 8 | 10.39% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 18 | 23.38% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 18 | 23.38% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 3 | 1.36% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Ransom | (%) | ND | (%) | Ransom | (%) | ND | (%) | Ransom | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 35 | 2.24% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 27 | 1.74% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 23 | 1.51% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 100 | 6.39% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 105 | 6.78% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 98 | 6.43% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 188 | 14.89% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 210 | 17.33% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 212 | 18.42% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 5 | 9.09% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 2.90% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 3.57% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.79% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.09% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 0.99% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 0.99% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 113 | 8.30% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 81 | 6.05% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 86 | 6.53% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 6 | 1.39% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 7 | 1.69% | 957 | 2.50% | 4 | 1.01% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 37 | 2.72% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 10 | 0.75% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 17 | 1.29% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 1.82% | 631 | 7.55% | 5 | 7.25% | 644 | 8.12% | 3 | 5.36% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Renville County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Mohall |
| State Population Rank : | 40 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 874.8 |
| Number of Households : | 1,073 |
| Number of Families : | 785 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Renville | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,799 | 0.44% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 166 | 5.93% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 283 | 10.11% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 226 | 8.07% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 722 | 25.79% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 700 | 96.95% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 7 | 0.97% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 9 | 1.25% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 7 | 0.97% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 3 | 0.42% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 86 | 9.85% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 411 | 69.83% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 195 | 61.03% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 216 | 77.78% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.28% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 2 | 100.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 0 | 0.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

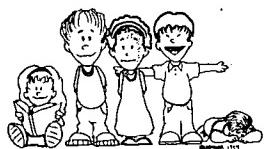
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 102 | 13.80% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 76 | 13.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,833.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 127 | 14.77% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 48 | 5.58% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 76 | 15.42% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 1 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 5 | 1.01% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 64 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 5.56% | 474 | 6.21% |



Bismarck

(%)

North Dakota

(%)

REGION II

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,974.72 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 757.99 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | NA | NA | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | NA | NA | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | NA | NA | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 135 | 18.10% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 16 | 11.85% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 59 | 43.70% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 52 | 38.52% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 8 | 5.93% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 5 | 3.70% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 58 | 42.96% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 46 | 34.07% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 2 | 1.48% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.1 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

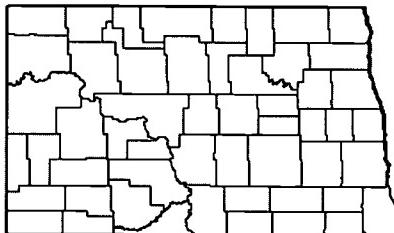
Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|----|---------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 6 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 6 | 100.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 11 | 1.63% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 25 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 19 | 76.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 4.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 3 | 12.00% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 2 | 8.00% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 2 | 1.18% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Bismarck | (%) | ND | (%) | Bismarck | (%) | ND | (%) | Bismarck | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 26 | 3.20% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 24 | 3.02% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 11 | 1.40% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 53 | 6.53% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 59 | 7.42% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 80 | 10.17% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 194 | 24.28% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 259 | 35.00% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 287 | 38.16% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 3.85% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 3.45% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 60 | 8.55% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 65 | 9.49% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 80 | 11.85% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.32% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.31% | 957 | 2.50% | 3 | 0.99% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 6 | 0.85% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 6 | 0.88% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 9 | 1.33% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 3.85% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 3.85% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 11.11% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Richland County

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|----------------------------|----------|
| County Seat : | Wahpeton |
| State Population Rank : | 9 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,436.9 |
| Number of Households : | 6,442 |
| Number of Families : | 4,455 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Richland | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 17,924 | 2.83% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,275 | 7.11% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,770 | 9.88% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 1,714 | 9.56% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 5,142 | 28.69% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 4,803 | 93.41% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 12 | 0.23% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 277 | 5.39% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 50 | 0.97% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 24 | 0.47% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 538 | 10.94% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 2,180 | 71.56% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,084 | 65.13% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 1,096 | 77.92% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 45 | 0.88% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 36 | 80.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 9 | 20.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

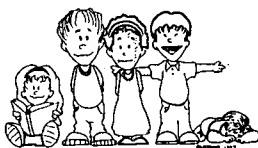
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 649 | 14.60% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 430 | 13.20% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$31,784.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 610 | 12.97% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 242 | 5.15% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 62 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 767 | 23.04% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 16 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 80 | 2.40% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 410 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 13 | 6.31% | 474 | 6.21% |



Richland (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,187.68 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 3,120.45 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 33 | 49.25% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 33 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 350 | 11.51% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 51 | 14.57% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 154 | 44.00% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 129 | 36.86% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 16 | 4.57% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 20 | 5.71% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 96 | 27.43% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 158 | 45.14% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 27 | 7.71% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.1 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

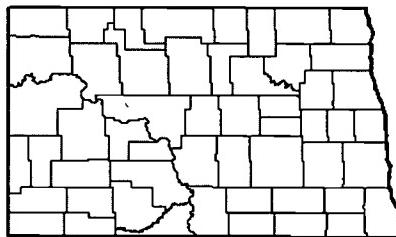
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 99 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 16 | 16.16% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 56 | 56.57% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 165 | 3.47% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 235 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 78 | 33.19% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 30 | 12.77% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 0.43% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 65 | 27.66% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 61 | 25.96% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 9 | 0.71% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Richland | (%) | ND | (%) | Richland | (%) | ND | (%) | Richland | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 239 | 3.95% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 201 | 3.41% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 184 | 3.17% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 548 | 9.07% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 609 | 10.32% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 595 | 10.27% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,032 | 28.24% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 918 | 26.35% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 879 | 26.13% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 11 | 4.80% | 367 | 4.39% | 6 | 2.96% | 382 | 4.82% | 13 | 6.31% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 0.44% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 0.99% | 68 | 0.86% | 3 | 1.46% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.57% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 0.63% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 0.52% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 702 | 14.17% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 703 | 14.47% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 667 | 14.02% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 28 | 2.58% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 22 | 2.07% | 957 | 2.50% | 19 | 1.80% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 187 | 3.78% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 235 | 4.84% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 159 | 3.34% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 16 | 6.99% | 631 | 7.55% | 17 | 8.37% | 644 | 8.12% | 16 | 7.77% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Rolette County

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|----------------------------|-------|
| County Seat : | Rolla |
| State Population Rank : | 10 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 902.5 |
| Number of Households : | 4,624 |
| Number of Families : | 3,479 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Rolette | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|---------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 14,229 | 2.25% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,754 | 12.33% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 2,172 | 15.26% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 1,468 | 10.32% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 5,668 | 39.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 985 | 17.38% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 16 | 0.28% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 4,659 | 82.20% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 7 | 0.12% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 54 | 0.95% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 1,742 | 35.72% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,855 | 58.92% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 927 | 51.02% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 928 | 66.81% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 133 | 2.35% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 118 | 88.72% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 15 | 11.28% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

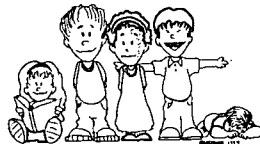
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 2,012 | 36.20% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,358 | 34.30% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$13,386.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 521 | 10.95% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,520 | 31.95% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 20 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 421 | 9.91% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 253 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 1,686 | 39.67% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 1,918 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 19 | 7.69% | 474 | 6.21% |



Rolette (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,632.88 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 3,183.89 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 330 | 87.77% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 40 | 12.12% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 290 | 87.88% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 304 | 9.21% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 30 | 9.87% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 133 | 43.75% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 130 | 42.76% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 11 | 3.62% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 14 | 4.61% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 72 | 23.68% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 159 | 52.30% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 30 | 9.87% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 18.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION III

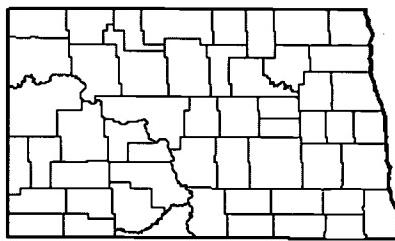
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 51 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 12 | 23.53% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 34 | 66.67% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 81 | 1.50% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 263 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 28 | 10.65% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 34 | 12.93% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 92 | 34.98% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 109 | 41.44% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 112 | 13.22% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Rolette | (%) | ND | (%) | Rolette | (%) | ND | (%) | Rolette | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 2,515 | 41.67% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 2,467 | 40.61% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 2,248 | 36.71% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 745 | 12.34% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 767 | 12.63% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 848 | 13.85% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 2,466 | 60.22% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 2,406 | 61.50% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 2,570 | 66.94% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 44 | 15.12% | 367 | 4.39% | 45 | 16.85% | 382 | 4.82% | 42 | 17.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 0.34% | 52 | 0.62% | 3 | 1.12% | 68 | 0.86% | 2 | 0.81% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 2 | 2.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 1.68% | 73 | 1.23% | 3 | 2.34% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 2,950 | 55.13% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 2,887 | 53.82% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 2,825 | 52.37% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 106 | 10.03% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 81 | 7.58% | 957 | 2.50% | 114 | 11.84% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 96 | 1.79% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 88 | 1.64% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 107 | 1.98% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | .71 | 24.40% | 631 | 7.55% | 65 | 24.34% | 644 | 8.12% | 52 | 21.05% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Sargent County

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|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Forman |
| State Population Rank : | 30 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 858.8 |
| Number of Households : | 1,662 |
| Number of Families : | 1,196 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Sargent | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---------|-----|--------------|-----|
|---------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,288 | 0.68% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 266 | 6.20% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 406 | 9.47% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 346 | 8.07% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,087 | 25.35% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,079 | 99.26% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 2 | 0.18% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 2 | 0.18% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.28% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 8 | 0.74% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 98 | 8.01% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 597 | 78.06% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 235 | 70.21% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 362 | 83.15% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 3 | 0.28% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 3 | 100.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 0 | 0.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

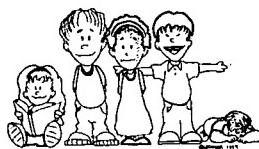
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 123 | 10.90% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 88 | 10.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$32,310.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 141 | 11.59% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 83 | 6.82% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 8 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 100 | 13.46% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 8 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 33 | 4.44% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 107 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 2.38% | 474 | 6.21% |



Sargent (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,478.72 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 861.59 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 8 | 80.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 8 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 108 | 12.37% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 12 | 11.11% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 50 | 46.30% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 43 | 39.81% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 3 | 2.78% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 7 | 6.48% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 35 | 32.41% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 39 | 36.11% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 7 | 6.48% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

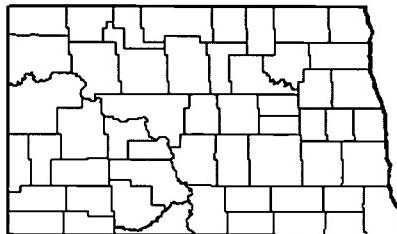
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 19 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 10.53% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 13 | 68.42% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 18 | 1.77% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 53 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 35 | 66.04% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 1.89% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 9 | 16.98% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 8 | 15.09% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|---------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Sargent | (%) | ND | (%) | Sargent | (%) | ND | (%) | Sargent | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 36 | 2.91% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 27 | 2.18% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 19 | 1.60% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 129 | 10.45% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 119 | 9.59% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 122 | 10.30% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 163 | 19.04% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 162 | 18.58% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 158 | 18.72% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 5 | 10.64% | 367 | 4.39% | 2 | 4.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 2 | 4.76% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 2.13% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 1.96% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 4.44% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 137 | 12.83% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 112 | 10.49% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 109 | 10.71% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 4 | 1.59% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.40% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 20 | 1.87% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 23 | 2.15% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 32 | 3.14% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 4.26% | 631 | 7.55% | 4 | 8.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 4.76% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Sheridan County

County Seat : McClusky
 State Population Rank : 51
 Land Area (square miles) : 971.8
 Number of Households : 666
 Number of Families : 503

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Sheridan | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 1,665 | 0.26% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 99 | 5.95% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 133 | 7.99% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 103 | 6.19% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 355 | 21.32% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 351 | 98.87% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 5 | 1.41% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 0 | 0.00% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 1 | 0.28% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 31 | 6.01% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 253 | 53.36% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 93 | 36.56% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 160 | 63.13% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 1 | 0.28% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 0 | 0.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 100.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

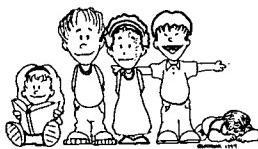
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 122 | 32.80% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 83 | 29.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$22,411.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 92 | 17.73% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 56 | 10.79% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 6 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 30 | 11.90% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 60 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 1 | 11.11% | 474 | 6.21% |



Sheridan (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$6,133.42 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 205.70 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 11 | 84.62% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 11 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 37 | 18.05% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 3 | 8.11% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 11 | 29.73% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 19 | 51.35% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 10.81% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 12 | 32.43% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 20 | 54.05% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 3 | 8.11% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 18.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

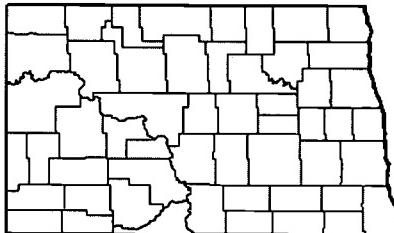
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 4 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 2 | 50.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 2 | 50.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 2 | 0.60% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 9 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 2 | 22.22% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 3 | 33.33% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 2 | 22.22% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 1 | 11.11% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 1 | 11.11% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 2 | 2.11% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Sheridan | (%) | ND | (%) | Sheridan | (%) | ND | (%) | Sheridan | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 17 | 4.19% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 14 | 3.59% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 9 | 2.34% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 47 | 11.58% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 75 | 19.23% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 66 | 17.19% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 114 | 47.30% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 105 | 45.45% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 104 | 50.73% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 6.67% | 367 | 4.39% | 0 | 0.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 6.67% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 5.26% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 70 | 19.72% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 67 | 19.65% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 60 | 17.91% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 1.41% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 6 | 1.69% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 8 | 2.35% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 4 | 1.19% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 2 | 13.33% | 631 | 7.55% | 0 | 0.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 22.22% | 603 | 7.90% |

SECTION VII

North Dakota



Sioux County

| | |
|----------------------------|------------|
| County Seat : | Fort Yates |
| State Population Rank : | 31 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,094.2 |
| Number of Households : | 1,129 |
| Number of Families : | 915 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Sioux | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 4,156 | 0.66% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 572 | 13.76% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 736 | 17.71% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 469 | 11.28% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,865 | 44.87% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 209 | 11.21% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 3 | 0.16% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1,647 | 88.31% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 7 | 0.38% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 16 | 0.86% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 518 | 31.96% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 486 | 64.81% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 274 | 60.22% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 212 | 70.75% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 37 | 1.98% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 24 | 64.86% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 13 | 35.14% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

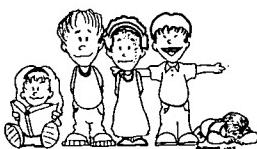
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 753 | 40.80% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 557 | 41.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$14,395.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 243 | 14.88% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 424 | 25.96% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 36 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 161 | 11.43% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 84 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 289 | 20.51% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|---|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 4 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 9 | 9.18% | 474 | 6.21% |



Sioux (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$9,460.63 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 515.73 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 133 | 97.08% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | 133 | 100.00% | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 153 | 31.35% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 31 | 20.26% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 56 | 36.60% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 60 | 39.22% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 6 | 3.92% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 3 | 1.96% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 64 | 41.83% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 57 | 37.25% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 15 | 9.80% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 15.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

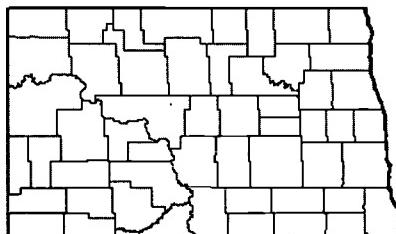
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 1 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 0 | 0.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 56 | 3.15% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 36 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 7 | 19.44% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 0 | 0.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 11 | 30.56% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 8 | 22.22% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 10 | 27.78% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 20 | 7.55% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Sioux | (%) | ND | (%) | Sioux | (%) | ND | (%) | Sioux | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 795 | 40.54% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 820 | 41.16% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 721 | 35.92% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 300 | 15.30% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 372 | 18.67% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 443 | 22.07% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,048 | 78.86% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 981 | 71.71% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,043 | 80.42% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 19 | 19.19% | 367 | 4.39% | 18 | 17.31% | 382 | 4.82% | 22 | 22.45% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 3 | 2.88% | 68 | 0.86% | 3 | 3.06% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 3.23% | 64 | 1.09% | 6 | 23.08% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 3.57% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 974 | 55.82% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 1,047 | 59.25% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 1,058 | 59.54% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 44 | 11.96% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 46 | 11.92% | 957 | 2.50% | 30 | 7.92% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 4 | 0.23% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 3 | 0.17% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 1 | 0.06% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 18 | 18.18% | 631 | 7.55% | 21 | 20.19% | 644 | 8.12% | 21 | 21.43% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VII

North Dakota



Slope County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Amidon |
| State Population Rank : | 53 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,218.0 |
| Number of Households : | 326 |
| Number of Families : | 243 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Slope | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 887 | 0.14% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 54 | 6.09% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 95 | 10.71% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 74 | 8.34% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 238 | 26.83% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 235 | 98.74% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 2 | 0.84% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 1 | 0.42% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 2 | 0.84% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 15 | 5.51% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 124 | 59.68% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
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| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
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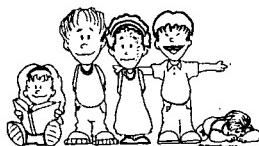
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| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 42 | 15.27% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 29 | 10.55% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|---|-------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 0 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|---|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 0 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 0 | 0.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Slope (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$8,267.91 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 27.31 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
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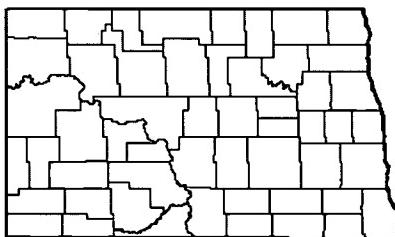
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| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 1 | 33.33% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 3 | 1.35% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 10 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 0 | 0.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 2 | 20.00% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 8 | 80.00% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 0 | 0.00% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Slope | (%) | ND | (%) | Slope | (%) | ND | (%) | Slope | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 5 | 1.99% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 4 | 1.53% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1 | 0.39% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 9 | 3.59% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 20 | 7.63% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 19 | 7.34% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 0 | 0.00% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 0 | 0.00% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
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| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 10 | 4.59% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 10 | 4.42% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 14 | 6.28% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 0 | 0.00% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 0 | 0.00% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 0 | 0.00% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 4 | 1.77% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 8 | 3.59% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 10.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VIII

North Dakota



Stark County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Dickinson |
| State Population Rank : | 6 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,338.3 |
| Number of Households : | 8,353 |
| Number of Families : | 5,892 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Stark | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 22,490 | 3.55% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,731 | 7.70% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 2,358 | 10.48% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 1,864 | 8.29% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 6,339 | 28.19% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 6,159 | 97.16% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 14 | 0.22% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 92 | 1.45% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 74 | 1.17% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 105 | 1.66% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 900 | 13.29% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 3,381 | 70.98% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,638 | 66.54% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 1,743 | 75.16% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 86 | 1.36% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 49 | 56.98% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 37 | 43.02% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

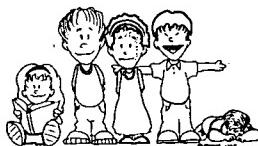
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 1,051 | 17.00% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 716 | 15.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,301.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 1,007 | 15.04% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 364 | 5.44% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 117 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 1,377 | 31.00% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 15 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 75 | 1.69% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

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|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 1,132 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 21 | 7.89% | 474 | 6.21% |



Start (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,342.96 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 3,970.73 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 82 | 85.42% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 71 | 86.59% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 11 | 13.41% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 459 | 11.54% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 71 | 15.47% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 157 | 34.20% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 195 | 42.48% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 36 | 7.84% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 26 | 5.66% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 144 | 31.37% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 148 | 32.24% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 52 | 11.33% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

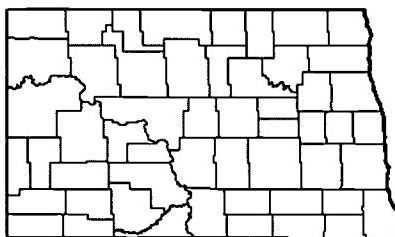
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 163 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 34 | 20.86% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 87 | 53.37% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 289 | 4.85% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 656 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 149 | 22.71% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 145 | 22.10% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 52 | 7.93% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 121 | 18.45% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 189 | 28.81% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 23 | 1.82% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Start | (%) | ND | (%) | Start | (%) | ND | (%) | Start | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 452 | 6.31% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 299 | 4.18% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 285 | 4.07% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 882 | 12.31% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,039 | 14.53% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 1,064 | 15.18% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,505 | 30.68% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 1,486 | 31.43% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,450 | 30.69% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 8 | 3.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 6 | 2.29% | 382 | 4.82% | 8 | 3.01% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 3 | 1.12% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 0.76% | 68 | 0.86% | 2 | 0.75% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 1 | 0.51% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 0.99% | 73 | 1.23% | 2 | 0.94% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 1,032 | 16.86% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 974 | 16.00% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 989 | 16.61% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 16 | 0.99% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 23 | 1.42% | 957 | 2.50% | 25 | 1.55% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 396 | 6.47% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 275 | 4.52% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 274 | 4.60% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 26 | 9.74% | 631 | 7.55% | 24 | 9.16% | 644 | 8.12% | 20 | 7.52% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Steele County

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| County Seat : | Finley |
| State Population Rank : | 48 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 712.4 |
| Number of Households : | 894 |
| Number of Families : | 633 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Steele | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,182 | 0.34% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 141 | 6.46% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 193 | 8.85% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 164 | 7.52% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 531 | 24.34% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 527 | 99.25% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 0 | 0.00% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 1 | 0.19% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 3 | 0.56% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 4 | 0.75% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|---------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 27 | 4.27% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 292 | 72.60% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 134 | 67.91% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 158 | 76.58% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 2 | 0.38% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 2 | 100.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 0 | 0.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

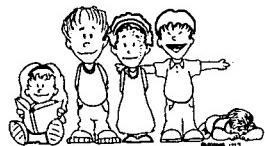
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 113 | 20.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 73 | 17.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,596.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 130 | 20.57% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 61 | 9.65% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 38 | 10.38% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 4.10% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 82 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 10.00% | 474 | 6.21% |



Steele (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$6,069.89 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 342.10 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 2 | 100.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 1 | 50.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 1 | 50.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 36 | 10.59% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 5 | 13.89% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 12 | 33.33% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 17 | 47.22% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 2 | 5.56% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 2 | 5.56% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 8 | 22.22% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 20 | 55.56% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 2 | 5.56% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.2 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

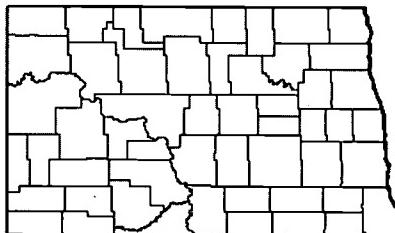
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 12 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 0 | 0.00% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 9 | 75.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 0 | 0.00% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 14 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 4 | 28.57% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 3 | 21.43% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 5 | 35.71% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 0 | 0.00% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 2 | 14.29% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Steele | (%) | ND | (%) | Steele | (%) | ND | (%) | Steele | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 19 | 3.14% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 15 | 2.56% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 10 | 1.74% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 81 | 13.39% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 63 | 10.75% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 65 | 11.30% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 117 | 32.68% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 127 | 35.47% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 121 | 35.48% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 0 | 0.00% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 5.00% | 382 | 4.82% | 1 | 5.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 3.85% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 75 | 14.23% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 61 | 12.01% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 80 | 16.06% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 1 | 0.83% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 3 | 2.46% | 957 | 2.50% | 2 | 3.03% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 11 | 2.09% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 11 | 2.17% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 18 | 3.61% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 5.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 5.00% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Stutsman County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Jamestown |
| State Population Rank : | 7 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 2,221.5 |
| Number of Households : | 8,203 |
| Number of Families : | 5,517 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Stutsman | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 21,090 | 3.33% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,348 | 6.39% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,893 | 8.98% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 1,631 | 7.73% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 5,214 | 24.72% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 5,066 | 97.16% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 45 | 0.86% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 50 | 0.96% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 53 | 1.02% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 44 | 0.84% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 896 | 15.49% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 2,816 | 81.00% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,163 | 73.26% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 1,653 | 86.45% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
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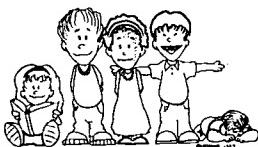
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 854 | 17.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 562 | 15.30% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$30,048.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 748 | 13.04% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 309 | 5.39% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 74 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 988 | 27.89% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 24 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 120 | 3.39% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 946 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 14 | 5.98% | 474 | 6.21% |



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Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|--------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,347.66 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
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| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 63 | 79.75% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
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| Home Based | 3 | 4.76% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 562 | 16.88% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 37 | 6.58% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 257 | 45.73% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 238 | 42.35% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 30 | 5.34% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 58 | 10.32% | 973 | 6.98% |
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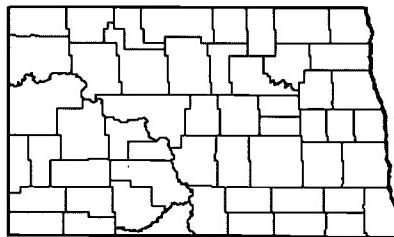
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| Services Required | 34 | 29.82% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 54 | 47.37% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 160 | 3.28% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 643 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 126 | 19.60% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 164 | 25.51% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
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| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 64 | 5.41% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Stutsman | (%) | ND | (%) | Stutsman | (%) | ND | (%) | Stutsman | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 335 | 5.71% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 263 | 4.52% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 226 | 3.90% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 620 | 10.57% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 744 | 12.77% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 806 | 13.89% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
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| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 2 | 0.85% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 0.52% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 0.43% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 0.81% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 0.42% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 713 | 14.35% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 745 | 15.18% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 722 | 14.82% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 29 | 2.27% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 32 | 2.55% | 957 | 2.50% | 49 | 4.05% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
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| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 22 | 9.40% | 631 | 7.55% | 14 | 7.33% | 644 | 8.12% | 21 | 8.97% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



Towner County

County Seat : Cando
 State Population Rank : 37
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,025.4
 Number of Households : 1,167
 Number of Families : 791

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

Population

| | Towner | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 2,955 | 0.47% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5. | 210 | 7.11% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 284 | 9.61% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 217 | 7.34% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 753 | 25.48% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 724 | 96.15% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.13% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 22 | 2.92% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 5 | 0.66% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 5 | 0.66% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 96 | 9.85% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 427 | 74.24% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 178 | 65.17% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 249 | 80.72% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 7 | 0.93% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 6 | 85.71% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 1 | 14.29% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

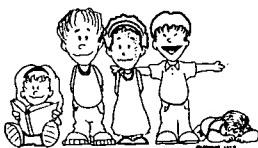
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 146 | 19.30% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 106 | 19.10% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$23,462.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 138 | 14.21% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 112 | 11.53% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 10 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 172 | 31.79% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 3 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 15 | 2.77% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|----|--------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 54 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 13.33% | 474 | 6.21% |



Towner (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,158.98 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 517.96 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 13 | 86.67% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 13 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 61 | 11.62% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 9 | 14.75% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 20 | 32.79% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 28 | 45.90% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 6.56% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 0 | 0.00% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 25 | 40.98% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 30 | 49.18% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 5 | 8.20% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 19.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION III

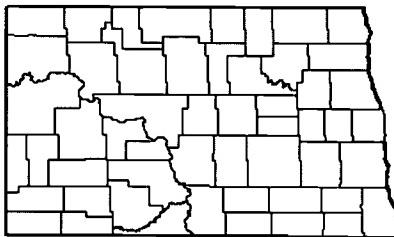
Children At Risk

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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 14 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 4 | 28.57% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 7 | 50.00% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 13 | 1.83% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 38 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 16 | 42.11% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 7 | 18.42% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 3 | 7.89% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 4 | 10.53% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 8 | 21.05% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 3 | 1.88% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Towner | (%) | ND | (%) | Towner | (%) | ND | (%) | Towner | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 45 | 5.28% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 33 | 3.95% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 12 | 1.47% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 96 | 11.25% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 110 | 13.16% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 101 | 12.41% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 229 | 38.95% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 251 | 44.74% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 206 | 40.08% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 3.13% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 4.76% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 2.22% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 101 | 13.47% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 110 | 15.05% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 94 | 13.22% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 1.03% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 1 | 0.48% | 957 | 2.50% | 1 | 0.52% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 33 | 4.40% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 42 | 5.75% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 23 | 3.23% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 1 | 3.13% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 4.76% | 644 | 8.12% | 0 | 0.00% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Traill County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Hillsboro |
| State Population Rank : | 16 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 861.9 |
| Number of Households : | 3,249 |
| Number of Families : | 2,256 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Traill | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 8,555 | 1.35% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 550 | 6.43% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 814 | 9.51% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 701 | 8.19% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 2,212 | 25.86% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 2,172 | 98.19% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 6 | 0.27% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 17 | 0.77% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 16 | 0.72% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 76 | 3.44% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 194 | 8.65% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,057 | 74.08% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 489 | 72.39% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 568 | 75.53% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 11 | 0.50% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 7 | 63.64% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 4 | 36.36% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

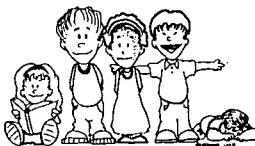
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 299 | 14.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 211 | 13.00% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$28,941.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 311 | 13.96% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 129 | 5.79% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 19 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 354 | 23.71% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 8 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 36 | 2.41% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 322 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 7 | 7.22% | 474 | 6.21% |



Trail (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,583.48 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 1,759.80 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 46 | 92.00% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 46 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 137 | 7.70% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 18 | 13.14% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 51 | 37.23% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 64 | 46.72% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 4 | 2.92% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 8 | 5.84% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 28 | 20.44% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 53 | 38.69% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 18 | 13.14% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 22.0 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

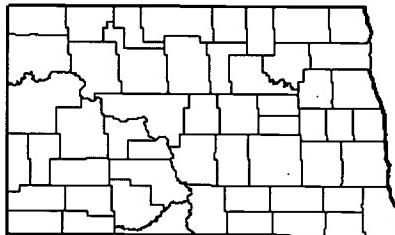
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| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 36 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 8 | 22.22% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 17 | 47.22% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 32 | 1.55% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 86 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 24 | 27.91% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 14 | 16.28% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 0 | 0.00% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 24 | 27.91% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 24 | 27.91% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 7 | 1.33% | 780 | 2.11% |

REGION V

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Trail | (%) | ND | (%) | Trail | (%) | ND | (%) | Trail | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 111 | 4.44% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 73 | 2.94% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 82 | 3.31% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 257 | 10.29% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 286 | 11.51% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 298 | 12.05% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 354 | 19.64% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 350 | 19.49% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 443 | 25.14% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 5 | 4.39% | 367 | 4.39% | 5 | 5.43% | 382 | 4.82% | 3 | 3.09% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 2 | 1.75% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 1.09% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 1.03% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 1 | 0.95% | 73 | 1.23% | 1 | 0.90% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 398 | 19.00% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 347 | 16.70% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 366 | 17.72% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 0.33% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 5 | 0.81% | 957 | 2.50% | 17 | 2.71% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 70 | 3.34% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 66 | 3.18% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 47 | 2.28% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 4 | 3.51% | 631 | 7.55% | 4 | 4.35% | 644 | 8.12% | 7 | 7.22% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Walsh County

| | |
|----------------------------|---------|
| County Seat : | Grafton |
| State Population Rank : | 11 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 1,282.0 |
| Number of Households : | 5,050 |
| Number of Families : | 3,549 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| Walsh | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|
|-------|-----|--------------|-----|

Population

| | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| Total Population, 1999 | 13,356 | 2.11% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 974 | 7.29% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 1,353 | 10.13% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 989 | 7.40% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 3,504 | 26.24% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 3,398 | 96.97% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 7 | 0.20% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 47 | 1.34% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 52 | 1.48% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 316 | 9.02% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 509 | 13.34% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 1,757 | 77.58% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 885 | 75.59% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 872 | 79.59% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 31 | 0.88% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 20 | 64.52% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 11 | 35.48% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

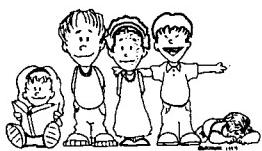
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 719 | 20.40% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 481 | 18.30% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,451.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 496 | 13.17% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 286 | 7.59% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 24 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 466 | 18.36% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 21 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 105 | 4.14% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 790 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 10 | 6.49% | 474 | 6.21% |



Walsh (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,453.86 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 2,288.72 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 34 | 65.38% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 34 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 302 | 13.01% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 30 | 9.93% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 133 | 44.04% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 116 | 38.41% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 23 | 7.62% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 13 | 4.30% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 110 | 36.42% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 130 | 43.05% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 32 | 10.60% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

REGION IV

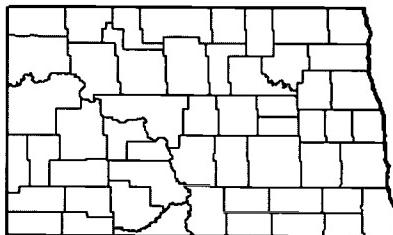
Children At Risk

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|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 77 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 17 | 22.08% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 36 | 46.75% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 85 | 2.56% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 314 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 44 | 14.01% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 75 | 23.89% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 34 | 10.83% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 64 | 20.38% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 97 | 30.89% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 42 | 6.08% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Walsh | (%) | ND | (%) | Walsh | (%) | ND | (%) | Walsh | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 235 | 5.92% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 199 | 5.11% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 153 | 4.02% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 443 | 11.16% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 514 | 13.19% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 600 | 15.76% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 779 | 30.94% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 786 | 32.02% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 723 | 31.06% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 6 | 4.62% | 367 | 4.39% | 11 | 6.92% | 382 | 4.82% | 13 | 8.44% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 1 | 0.77% | 52 | 0.62% | 1 | 0.63% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 0.65% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 3 | 1.59% | 64 | 1.09% | 2 | 1.16% | 73 | 1.23% | 3 | 2.04% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 782 | 22.52% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 770 | 22.66% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 721 | 21.74% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 11 | 1.63% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 0 | 0.00% | 957 | 2.50% | 16 | 2.04% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 253 | 7.28% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 163 | 4.80% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 145 | 4.37% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 9 | 6.92% | 631 | 7.55% | 8 | 5.03% | 644 | 8.12% | 19 | 12.34% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Ward County

County Seat : Minot
 State Population Rank : 4
 Land Area (square miles) : 2,013.0
 Number of Households : 21,628
 Number of Families : 15,388

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Ward | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|--------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 58,360 | 9.21% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 4,982 | 8.54% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 5,658 | 9.69% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 4,619 | 7.91% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 16,223 | 27.80% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 14,649 | 90.30% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 588 | 3.62% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 569 | 3.51% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 418 | 2.58% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 535 | 3.30% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
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| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 8,315 | 70.01% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 4,366 | 64.91% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 3,949 | 75.64% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 146 | 0.90% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 85 | 58.22% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 61 | 41.78% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

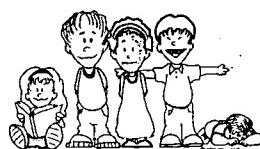
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 2,451 | 15.70% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 1,579 | 14.50% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$27,414.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 2,621 | 16.35% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 1,004 | 6.26% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 144 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 2,551 | 22.18% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 122 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 605 | 5.26% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-------|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 3,165 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 54 | 6.17% | 474 | 6.21% |



Ward (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,812.65 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 10,200.53 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 205 | 57.75% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 205 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 1,420 | 13.98% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 152 | 10.70% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 622 | 43.80% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 563 | 39.65% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 83 | 5.85% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 112 | 7.89% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 596 | 41.97% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 503 | 35.42% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 64 | 4.51% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 21.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

RECOMMENDED

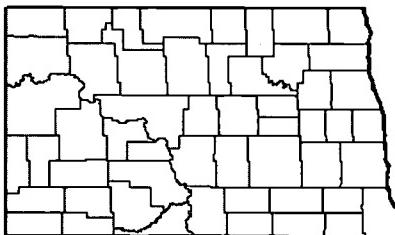
Children At Risk

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|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 554 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 31 | 5.60% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 419 | 75.63% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 235 | 1.54% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 1,280 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 256 | 20.00% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 275 | 21.48% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 2 | 0.16% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 361 | 28.20% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 386 | 30.16% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 37 | 1.08% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Ward | (%) | ND | (%) | Ward | (%) | ND | (%) | Ward | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 1,269 | 6.79% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 1,068 | 5.80% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 1,002 | 5.48% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 1,597 | 8.55% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 1,860 | 10.11% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 2,071 | 11.32% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 3,066 | 29.59% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 2,900 | 28.34% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 3,098 | 29.19% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 28 | 2.73% | 367 | 4.39% | 21 | 2.21% | 382 | 4.82% | 20 | 2.29% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 5 | 0.49% | 52 | 0.62% | 6 | 0.63% | 68 | 0.86% | 8 | 0.91% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 7 | 1.62% | 64 | 1.09% | 6 | 1.35% | 73 | 1.23% | 7 | 1.45% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 2,456 | 15.70% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 2,430 | 15.80% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 2,493 | 16.34% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 80 | 2.21% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 125 | 3.51% | 957 | 2.50% | 103 | 2.96% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 782 | 5.00% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 929 | 6.04% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 921 | 6.04% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 60 | 5.85% | 631 | 7.55% | 72 | 7.57% | 644 | 8.12% | 60 | 6.86% | 603 | 7.90% |

North Dakota



Wells County

County Seat : Fessenden
 State Population Rank : 25
 Land Area (square miles) : 1,271.4
 Number of Households : 2,088
 Number of Families : 1,458

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Wells | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|-------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 5,094 | 0.80% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 292 | 5.73% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 412 | 8.09% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 336 | 6.60% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 1,109 | 21.77% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 1,106 | 99.73% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 1 | 0.09% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 0 | 0.00% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 2 | 0.18% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 4 | 0.36% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 136 | 9.48% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 675 | 73.33% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 299 | 70.23% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 376 | 75.80% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 4 | 0.36% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 1 | 25.00% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 3 | 75.00% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

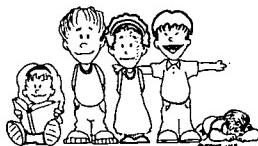
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| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 225 | 19.10% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 158 | 17.80% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$24,402.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 264 | 18.31% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 138 | 9.57% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 12 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 187 | 24.35% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 5 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 25 | 3.26% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 126 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 2 | 4.44% | 474 | 6.21% |



Wells (%) North Dakota (%)

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$5,307.10 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 984.75 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 25 | 92.59% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 0 | 0.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 25 | 100.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 109 | 10.99% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 8 | 7.34% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 42 | 38.53% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 48 | 44.04% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 11 | 10.09% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 4 | 3.67% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 53 | 48.62% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 27 | 24.77% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 10 | 9.17% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.3 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

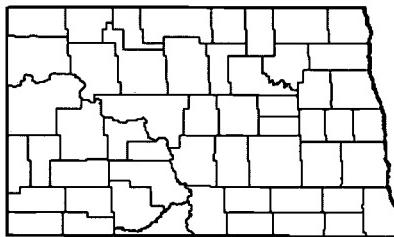
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|--|----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 9 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 3 | 33.33% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 6 | 66.67% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 7 | 0.67% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 43 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 14 | 32.56% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 4 | 9.30% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 1 | 2.33% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 10 | 23.26% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 14 | 32.56% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 0 | 0.00% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | | 1998 | | | | 1999 | | | |
|--|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Wells | (%) | ND | (%) | Wells | (%) | ND | (%) | Wells | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 36 | 2.84% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 36 | 2.87% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 16 | 1.33% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 153 | 12.08% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 154 | 12.26% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 135 | 11.19% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 333 | 30.89% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 269 | 24.59% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 275 | 27.89% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 1 | 2.63% | 367 | 4.39% | 1 | 2.86% | 382 | 4.82% | 0 | 0.00% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 0 | 0.00% | 68 | 0.86% | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 0 | 0.00% | 64 | 1.09% | 0 | 0.00% | 73 | 1.23% | 0 | 0.00% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 158 | 14.39% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 149 | 13.72% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 103 | 9.90% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 2 | 0.59% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 4 | 1.16% | 957 | 2.50% | 7 | 2.05% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 21 | 1.91% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 25 | 2.30% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 13 | 1.25% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 0 | 0.00% | 631 | 7.55% | 1 | 2.86% | 644 | 8.12% | 2 | 4.44% | 603 | 7.90% |

REGION VI

North Dakota



Williams County

| | |
|----------------------------|-----------|
| County Seat : | Williston |
| State Population Rank : | 8 |
| Land Area (square miles) : | 2,070.6 |
| Number of Households : | 7,524 |
| Number of Families : | 5,282 |

Source: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999 estimates

| | Williams | (%) | North Dakota | (%) |
|---|----------|--------|--------------|---------|
| Population | | | | |
| Total Population, 1999 | 19,764 | 3.12% | 633,666 | 100.00% |
| Ages 0 to 5 | 1,502 | 7.60% | 47,633 | 7.52% |
| Ages 6 to 12 | 2,175 | 11.00% | 61,854 | 9.76% |
| Ages 13 to 17 | 1,568 | 7.93% | 50,915 | 8.03% |
| Population By Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Ages 0 to 18, 1999 | 5,557 | 28.12% | 171,034 | 26.99% |
| White | 4,980 | 89.62% | 153,034 | 89.48% |
| Black | 8 | 0.14% | 1,519 | 0.89% |
| Native American, Eskimo, Aleutian | 543 | 9.77% | 14,401 | 8.42% |
| Asian, Pacific Islander | 25 | 0.45% | 2,082 | 1.22% |
| Hispanic Origin of any Race | 76 | 1.37% | 3,080 | 1.80% |

Family Composition

| | | | | |
|---|-------|--------|--------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 | 921 | 14.56% | 24,886 | 14.19% |
| Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 (% in Labor Force) | 3,024 | 73.15% | 84,631 | 74.40% |
| With Children Under Age 6 (% in Labor Force) | 1,453 | 67.58% | 40,947 | 69.10% |
| With Children Ages 6-17, only (% in Labor Force) | 1,571 | 78.29% | 43,684 | 79.36% |
| Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 | 56 | 1.01% | 1,716 | 1.00% |
| Family Home Placements | 30 | 53.57% | 1,116 | 65.03% |
| ND Residential Child Care Facility/Group Home Placement | 26 | 46.43% | 600 | 34.97% |

Economic Condition

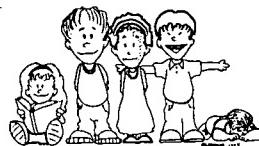
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|---|-------------|--------|-------------|--------|
| Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 | 976 | 17.50% | 27,812 | 16.80% |
| Related Children Ages 5-17 Living in Families Below Poverty, 1997 | 665 | 15.70% | 18,448 | 15.30% |
| Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 | \$29,283.00 | NA | \$30,020.00 | NA |
| Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 | 657 | 10.46% | 22,193 | 12.79% |
| Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 | 427 | 6.80% | 12,788 | 7.37% |

Child Care

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 | 49 | NA | 1,872 | NA |
| Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 | 731 | 18.30% | 30,894 | 25.96% |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 | 54 | NA | 1,245 | NA |
| Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 | 270 | 6.76% | 6,633 | 5.57% |

Child Health

| | | | | |
|---|-----|-------|--------|-------|
| Women, Infants and Children Program (WIC) Participants, FY 2000 | 922 | NA | 24,500 | NA |
| Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 | 10 | 4.20% | 474 | 6.21% |



Williams (%) North Dakota (%)

Region I

Education

| | | | | |
|---|------------|---------|------------|--------|
| Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-00 Academic Year | \$4,888.49 | NA | \$4,925.47 | NA |
| Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-00 Academic Year | 3,792.50 | NA | 113,540.67 | NA |
| Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, January 2001 | 115 | 90.55% | 2,476 | 70.90% |
| Center Based | 115 | 100.00% | 1,464 | 59.13% |
| Home Based | 0 | 0.00% | 339 | 13.69% |
| Reservation Based | NA | NA | 673 | 27.18% |
| Special Education Enrollment, 1999 | 487 | 12.99% | 13,934 | 12.40% |
| Ages 0-5 | 53 | 10.88% | 1,605 | 11.52% |
| Ages 6-11 | 221 | 45.38% | 5,939 | 42.62% |
| Ages 12-17 | 193 | 39.63% | 5,698 | 40.89% |
| Ages 18-21 | 20 | 4.11% | 692 | 4.97% |
| Emotionally Disturbed | 39 | 8.01% | 973 | 6.98% |
| Speech Impaired | 140 | 28.75% | 4,468 | 32.07% |
| Specific Learning Disability | 215 | 44.15% | 5,886 | 40.81% |
| Educable Mentally Handicapped and Trainable Mentally Handicapped | 35 | 7.19% | 1,262 | 9.06% |
| Average ACT Composite Scores, 1999-00 Academic Year | 20.9 | NA | 20.6 | NA |

Children At Risk

| | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 | 127 | NA | 4,145 | NA |
| Services Required | 27 | 21.26% | 652 | 15.73% |
| Services Recommended | 69 | 54.33% | 2,430 | 58.62% |
| Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 | 225 | 4.29% | 4,213 | 2.63% |
| Juvenile Offenses, 1999 | 606 | NA | 14,792 | NA |
| Alcohol Offenses | 123 | 20.30% | 3,094 | 20.92% |
| Unruly Behavior | 167 | 27.56% | 3,246 | 21.94% |
| Offenses Against Person | 24 | 3.96% | 784 | 5.30% |
| Offenses Against Property | 107 | 17.66% | 3,642 | 24.62% |
| Other Offenses | 185 | 30.53% | 4,026 | 27.22% |
| Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in HS, Not HS Graduates, Not in Labor Force, 1990 | 12 | 1.14% | 780 | 2.11% |

Multi-Year Trend Data for KIDS COUNT Indicators

| Indicators | 1997 | | | 1998 | | | 1999 | | | | | |
|--|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|----------|--------|--------|--------|
| | Williams | (%) | ND | (%) | Williams | (%) | ND | (%) | Williams | (%) | ND | (%) |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant and Medicaid | 400 | 6.37% | 14,889 | 7.63% | 335 | 5.39% | 13,055 | 6.75% | 359 | 5.95% | 11,804 | 6.18% |
| Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only | 736 | 11.73% | 18,685 | 9.58% | 832 | 13.38% | 20,893 | 10.80% | 820 | 13.59% | 22,431 | 11.74% |
| Children Receiving Free/Reduced Price Lunch | 1,079 | 25.11% | 35,352 | 29.00% | 1,043 | 25.16% | 33,924 | 28.22% | 1,050 | 27.34% | 34,419 | 29.08% |
| Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care | 10 | 4.31% | 367 | 4.39% | 11 | 4.60% | 382 | 4.82% | 16 | 6.72% | 325 | 4.26% |
| Deaths of Infants Under Age One | 0 | 0.00% | 52 | 0.62% | 2 | 0.84% | 68 | 0.86% | 1 | 0.42% | 52 | 0.68% |
| Deaths of Children Ages 1 to 19 | 4 | 1.83% | 64 | 1.09% | 5 | 2.53% | 73 | 1.23% | 3 | 1.36% | 67 | 1.10% |
| Children Receiving Food Stamps | 956 | 17.41% | 28,111 | 17.06% | 954 | 17.61% | 27,772 | 17.06% | 993 | 18.93% | 27,944 | 17.42% |
| High School Dropouts, Grades 9-12 | 53 | 3.76% | 1,167 | 3.00% | 33 | 2.20% | 957 | 2.50% | 44 | 2.97% | 1,023 | 2.62% |
| Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect | 223 | 4.06% | 6,966 | 4.22% | 234 | 4.32% | 7,341 | 4.51% | 205 | 3.91% | 7,074 | 4.41% |
| Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 | 23 | 9.91% | 631 | 7.55% | 30 | 12.55% | 644 | 8.12% | 25 | 10.50% | 603 | 7.90% |

Definitions and Data Sources

County Seat is the designated location for county government functions.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census.

State Population Rank is based on the ordering of all counties in the state by population.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, March 2000.

Land Area is the size of a county in square miles.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Number of Households represents occupied housing units. A housing unit is a house, an apartment, a mobile home, a group of rooms, or a single room used as a separate living quarter. The number listed in this category reflects a person or groups of people living in a housing unit. For example, people living in a mobile home create one household. A mobile home could be unoccupied and be classified as a housing unit, not a household.

SOURCE: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999. Unpublished Data.

Number of Families includes a householder and one or more other persons who are related to the householder by birth, marriage, or adoption.

SOURCE: North Dakota State Data Center, 1999. Unpublished Data.

Population

Total Population, 1999 is the total number of people residing in North Dakota. (Note that the 1999 estimates used in this publication were the most current figures available at the time of printing). The percentage for the main indicator represents the proportion of the total population in North Dakota. Age categories 0-5 years, 6-12 years, and 13-17 years indicate the total number of children in these respective age groups. The percentages for the age categories are the proportion these children represent of the total population in respective geographic areas. Total population estimates are compiled by the

Census Bureau and based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, September 2000.

Population by Race and Hispanic Origin of Children Under Age 19, 1999 denotes the child population by racial composition. (Note that the 1999 race estimates used in this publication were the most current figures available at the time of printing). The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion children under age 19 represent of the total population for respective geographic areas. Percentages for racial categories represent the proportion of the total child population under age 19 in respective geographic areas. Racial categories include: White, Black, Native American-Eskimo-Aleutian, and Asian-Pacific Islander. Hispanic is reported as a discrete classification because it is considered a separate ethnic category, which includes children of different racial backgrounds. Racial categories can be viewed as the ancestry, nationality group, lineage, or country of birth of the person or the person's parents or ancestors before their arrival in the United States. Persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race. Race estimates are compiled by the Census Bureau and are based on estimates derived from administrative records: i.e., vital statistics, school enrollments, vehicle registrations, IRS filings, etc.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Population Division, September 2000.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3, Table P23, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Females Over Age 15 with Children Under 18, 1990 are the total number of women over age 15 with children under 18, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. **With Children Under 6** includes women with children under 6 only, and women with children under 6 and one or more children ages 6-17 years, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. **With Children 6-17** includes women with children ages 6-17 only, and the percentage of these women in the Labor Force. The Labor Force is defined as persons over age 15 who are employed (part- or full-time) or unemployed (have at some time been in the labor force and intend to be again). People not in the labor force include all persons 16 and over not classified as members of the labor force, such as students, retired people, homemakers, and institutionalized people.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P73, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children Under Age 19 in Foster Care FY 1999 are children placed in living situations outside their family homes as a result of Juvenile Court intervention with subcategories by type of placement. Numbers are unduplicated cases and exclude subsidized adoption. The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 19 in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the placement subcategories represent the proportion of children under age 19 in foster care. **Family Home Placements** - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided by the owner or leasee thereof to no more than four children, unless all of the children in foster care are related to each other by blood or marriage in which case such limitation shall not apply; and **N.D. Residential Child Care Facility** - a facility other than an occupied private residence providing foster care to more than eight unrelated children, except as may be otherwise provided by rule or regulation. **Group Home Placements** - an occupied private residence in which foster care is regularly provided for more than four but less than ten unrelated children.

Family Composition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Single Parent Families, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families headed by a person - male or female - with no spouse present in the home. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. Children in this category include "own children" under 18 who are never married and are related to the family by birth, marriage, or adoption.

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SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services. "Foster Care: Descriptive Characteristics of Children in Care by Administrative County, Fiscal Year 1999." Published March 2000.

Economic Condition

Children Under Age 18 Living in Poverty, 1997 are the number of children who are living in families with incomes below the U.S. Poverty Threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas. The age category, ages 5-17, reflects the number of related poor children in this age category. (Note that the age category, ages 0-5, is not included in the 1997 estimates.) The percentage for the age category is the proportion these children represent of the total related child population ages 5-17 in respective geographic areas. The Federal Poverty Line or Poverty Threshold was established in 1964, using guidelines set by the Social Security Administration. Income cut-offs were based on a formula utilizing family and individual income, family size and age of family members. The formula was initially based on three times a family's food costs, according to the USDA's most economical food plans. The cost of this food plan is adjusted each year to reflect more current economic guidelines. Only children who live in a household where they are related to the head of the household (referred to as the householder by the U.S. Census Bureau) are included in this analysis. "Related children" include the householder's children by birth, marriage, or adoption, as well as other persons under age 18 who are related to the householder (excludes children living in foster care). It should be noted that the Bureau of the Census advises against comparison of these data with the 1995 data published in last year's Fact Book.

SOURCE: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Small Area Income and Poverty Estimates Program.

The 2001 Federal Poverty Level Guidelines are:

| Family Size | Hourly Wage | Annual Income |
|-------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1 | \$4.13 | \$ 8,590 |
| 2 | 5.58 | 11,610 |
| 3 | 7.03 | 14,630 |
| 4 | 8.49 | 17,650 |
| 5 | 9.94 | 20,670 |
| 6 | 11.39 | 23,690 |

(Add \$3,020 for each additional member)

Median Income of Families with Children Under Age 18, 1990 is the middle point income of the total number of families with children, including those with no income. The median income is the middle point income for this distribution: half of families with children fall above this point and half fall below. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P80A, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children in Near-Poor Families, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families with incomes between 100 and 149 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4A, Table PB101, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Children Living in Extreme Poverty, 1990 are the number of children under age 18 who live in families with incomes below 50 percent of the poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 for whom poverty status is determined in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 4A, Table PB101, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Child Care

Licensed Child Care Providers, 2000 are individuals or facilities to whom the right, authority, or permission has been granted by the North Dakota Department of Human Services to operate a family child care home, group child care facility, child care center or preschool educational facility. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. A license is required if early childhood services are provided for four or more children ages 24 months and under or five or more children at any one time.

Family child care home means an occupied private residence in which early childhood services are provided for no more than seven children at any one time, except that the term includes a residence providing early childhood services to two additional school-aged children during the two hours immediately before and after the school day or all day (except weekends when school is not in session). **Group child care home or group child care facility** means a child care facility where early childhood services are provided for eight to eighteen children (inclusive) or a facility, other than an occupied private residence serving fewer than eight children. **Child-care center** refers to an early childhood facility where early childhood services are provided to nineteen or more children. **Preschool educational facility** denotes a facility offering early childhood services and following a preschool curriculum and course of study designed primarily to enhance the educational development of the children enrolled in the facility. Children are served for no more than three hours per day.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

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Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Providers, 2000 denotes child care providers who have completed an Affidavit of Standard Compliance and Child Care Provider Contract. This is a voluntary self-certification process for providers who are not licensed and care for five or fewer children, with no more than three under 24 months of age. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

Licensed Child Care Capacity, 2000 and Standard Compliance Certification/Registered Capacity, 2000 is the number of children that can be served by respective licensed, standard compliance, and registered care providers. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 14 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Licensed, Self-Certified, Registered, and Reservation Child Care Providers, 2000. Lutheran Social Services, Tribal Child Care Consultant, 2000. Unpublished Data.

Child Health

Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) Participants FY 2000 are persons who are eligible for and receive a food voucher and nutrition education contact through the WIC Program. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. The WIC Program provides coupons for specific foods to low-income pregnant and postpartum women, infants, and children under age five. To be eligible for WIC, low-income women, infants, and children must be found to be at nutritional risk for medical or dietary reasons. WIC is a prevention program targeted to provide nutrition education, nutritious food, and access to health care. This is not an entitlement program.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, WIC Program, Division of Maternal and Child Health.

Low Birth Weight Babies, 1999 are the number of babies who weigh less than 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces) at birth. The percentage is the proportion these babies represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. Data are obtained from birth certificates and are reported by mother's county of residence, rather than the location of the hospital where the birth occurred.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Education

Average Expenditures Per Pupil, 1999-2000 Academic Year include per pupil expenditures for instruction, administration, operation, and maintenance for school plants in respective areas of North Dakota during a given school year. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, December 2000.

Average Daily Membership of Public Schools, 1999-2000 Academic Year is the average number of pupils enrolled per day for respective areas of North Dakota in the academic school year. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, December 2000.

Children Ages 3-4 Enrolled in Head Start, 2001, Center Based, Home Based, and Reservation Based include children enrolled in Head Start, with subcategories indicating the number of children in each type of facility. The percentage represents the number of 3-4 year old children enrolled in Head Start as a proportion of 3-4 year old children eligible for Head Start. Eligibility is equal to the sum of: the number of children on the AFDC list (whether enrolled in Head Start or not), the number of children on the Head Start waiting list (but not on the AFDC list), and the number of children enrolled in Head

Start and not on either the AFDC list or the Head Start waiting list. The percentages for the subcategories represent the proportion of the child population ages 3-4 enrolled in Head Start in respective geographic areas. Authorized by the Economic Opportunity Act of 1964, Head Start is a federally funded, comprehensive early childhood education program created to help prepare economically disadvantaged children ages 3 to 5 to enter and succeed in elementary school. Ninety percent of children in the program must be from families with an income at or below the federal poverty level, while ten percent can be from families that are not poor. At least ten percent of Head Start slots in each state must be reserved for handicapped children. Services include cognitive and language development; medical, dental, and mental health services (including screening and immunizations); and nutritional and social services. Parent involvement is a strong component of the program. Not all eligible children ages 3-4 are enrolled. Participation rates are impacted by both availability of programs and parental choice in enrolling their children.

SOURCE: North Dakota Head Start Directors. Response to Special Request for Head Start Data: January 2001 Enrollment. Unpublished Data.

Special Education Enrollment, 1999 includes the number of children enrolled by age categories and in the following selected special education subcategories: emotionally disturbed, speech impaired, specific learning disabilities, and mentally retarded. The percentage for the main indicator is the proportion special education children represent of total public school enrollment in respective geographic areas. The percentages for the age categories and the selected special education subcategories represent the proportion of the child population enrolled in special education in respective geographic areas. Emotionally Disturbed refers to a condition exhibiting one or more of the following characteristics, over a long period of time, and to a marked degree that adversely affects a child's educational performance: 1) inability to learn what cannot be explained

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by intellectual, sensory, or health factors; 2) inability to build or maintain satisfactory interpersonal relationships with peers and teachers; 3) inappropriate types of behavior or feelings under normal circumstances; 4) a general pervasive mood of unhappiness or depression; 5) a tendency to develop physical symptoms or fears associated with personal or school problems. The term also includes schizophrenia. The term does not apply to children who are socially maladjusted unless it's determined they have a serious emotional disturbance. It should be noted that amendments to federal law removed the word "Seriously" from "Emotionally Disturbed." However, the definition is the same, so these data are comparable to previous data. Speech Impaired refers to a communication disorder such as stuttering, impaired articulation, a language impairment, or a voice impairment that adversely affects a child's educational performance. Specific Learning Disability refers to a disorder in one or more of the basic psychological processes involved in understanding or in using language, spoken or written, that may manifest itself in an imperfect ability to listen, think, speak, read, write, spell, or do mathematical calculations. The term includes such conditions as perceptual disabilities, brain injury, minimal brain dysfunction, dyslexia, and developmental aphasia. The term does not apply to children who have learning problems that are primarily the result of visual, hearing, or motor disabilities, of mental retardation, of emotional disturbance, or of environmental, cultural, or economic disadvantage. Mentally Retarded refers to significantly subaverage general intellectual functioning existing with additional deficits in motor, emotional, and social development. This subcategory includes "Educable Mentally Handicapped" (as reported in previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Books) and "Trainable Mentally Handicapped." Because of this change in definition, these data are not comparable to previous data.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Special Education Division. Unpublished Data.

Average ACT Composite Scores 1999-2000 Academic Year are average scores for the composite American College Test (ACT) college entrance exam in respective geographic areas. There is no percentage calculated for this indicator. ACT scores are designed to predict a student's potential for success in college. The highest possible score one can obtain is 36, and the average score in North Dakota is 20.8.

SOURCE: ACT, Department of Program Evaluation and Institutional Research Services, Research Division.

Children At Risk

Child Abuse and Neglect Reports, 1999 are the total number of official reports made to the North Dakota Department of Human Services on behalf of a child where there is the suspicion of child abuse or neglect, with subcategories representing service-based system designations. There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator, while the percentages for the subcategories represent the proportion of the total child abuse and neglect reports in respective geographic areas. The North Dakota Century Code mandates certain persons (those who have contact with children as a part of their professional duties) to report incidents of suspected child abuse or neglect. Any person may report. The Department of Human Services or its designated agent, a regional or county Child Protective Services social worker, will respond to the report by conducting an assessment of the family being reported. This process allows for the assessment of present safety to the child(ren) and the risk of future maltreatment, while simultaneously noting family strengths and needs. These strengths along with any necessary service interventions may lead to the amelioration of child maltreatment within a particular family. The Child Protective Services (CPS) social workers use a Risk Assessment tool to help direct the intervention and assessment process. CPS teams convene to staff all cases and determine if 1) services are required or 2) no services are required. Services Required indicates a high level of risk for the child(ren), and/or the family needs are such that immediate

service is required in order to lessen the safety risk. North Dakota Century Code requires a referral to Juvenile Court when a decision is made for Services Required, and a social worker (case manager) must be assigned to coordinate services. If no services are required, the team may indicate Services Recommended or No Services Recommended. Services Recommended indicates a low to intermediate risk level for the child(ren) and the family has service needs, but court action will not be requested at the time of the decision. No Services Recommended indicates 1) no to low risk for the child(ren) and/or 2) the CPS team suggests a discussion with the family on the availability of services, which are unrelated to any specific risk factors; or 3) the family's service need is non-existent. (This subcategory is not included in the Fact Book.)

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services.

Children Impacted by Domestic Violence, 2000 are the number of children affected by domestic violence occurring in their homes. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. Domestic violence typically refers to the use or threat of physical force against a current or former partner in an intimate relationship, resulting in fear and/or physical suffering on the part of the victim and witnessing household members. Beginning with the 1999/2000 Fact Book, these data are reported for the indicated calendar year. Previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! Fact Books reported figures for a six-month time period; therefore, comparisons with these data should not be made.

SOURCE: North Dakota Council on Abused Women's Services.

Juvenile Offenses, 1999 include children ages 0 through 17 who committed offenses requiring referral to Juvenile Court. There is no percentage calculated for the main indicator. The percentages for the subcategories - Alcohol Offenses, Unruly Behavior, Offenses Against Person, Offenses Against Property, and Other Offenses - represent the proportion of total

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offenses in respective geographic areas. Offenses are incidents that require referral to Juvenile Court, and can be made by police, parents, school teacher/officials, or other sources. A single child may have committed multiple offenses. These offenses exclude cases involving abandonment, abuse/neglect, deprivation, file 960 (when no further action is recommended), educational neglect, other or no fault deprivations, termination of parental rights, or other special proceedings. Alcohol Offenses include the purchase or possession of alcohol by a minor, delivery of alcohol to a minor, and minor in a liquor establishment. Unruly Behavior includes runaway in and out of state, truancy, ungovernable behavior, violation of conditions for conduct and control, violation of curfew, and other unruly behavior. Offenses Against Person include assault, homicide, kidnaping or unlawful restraint, sex offenses, and other offenses against person. Offenses Against Property include arson or endangering by fire, burglary, criminal mischief or damaging property, criminal trespass, forgery and counterfeiting, robbery, shoplifting, theft (other than shoplifting), unauthorized use of vehicle, and other offenses against property. Other Offenses include disorderly conduct, possession or purchase of controlled substances, cruelty to animals, tobacco purchase/smoking, resisting arrest, driving under the influence, driving without a license, open container, carrying a concealed weapon, illegal possession of a firearm, and all other offenses not contained in the above categories. To maintain consistency with the reporting procedures of the State Court Administrator's Office, these data have been modified from previous North Dakota KIDS COUNT! publications to reflect total offenses rather than referrals; therefore, comparisons with previous data should not be made.

SOURCE: Office of State Supreme Court Administrator. July 2001. Unpublished Data.

Children Ages 16-19 Not Enrolled in High School, Not High School Graduates, and Not in the Labor Force, 1990 measures the number of children in this age category who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point

me; nor are they in the labor force at a

given point in time. The percentage is the proportion these children represent of the total child population ages 16-19 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: Summary Tape File 3A, Table P61, U.S. Bureau of the Census, 1990 Census of Population and Housing.

Multi-Year Trend Data

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Both AFDC/TANF Grant & Medicaid (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children who are eligible recipients of Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and automatically eligible for Medicaid. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 21. Aid to Families with Dependent Children is an entitlement program that provides a monthly payment to parents or guardians on behalf of children who are defined as "dependent." AFDC is funded by both the federal and state governments and is administered by the state. Children must be found eligible to receive such assistance, by criteria laid down in federal and state law. Eligible are: needy children who have been deprived of support or care because of death, continued absence from the home, underemployment or unemployment of principal wage earner, or physical or mental handicap. Effective July 1, 1997, Aid to Families with Dependent Children was replaced by Temporary Assistance for Needy Families. TANF is a need-based income assistance program for families with children under age 18 who need financial support because one parent is absent from the home; one parent is incapacitated; family income is within the program standards; and countable assets are within the program limits. TANF is not an entitlement program, and adult TANF recipients are limited to a lifetime total of benefits of no more than 60 months; however, the 60 months do not have to be consecutive months. Children who have received TANF benefits for 60 months may receive benefits when they are adults. Medicaid: See below for a complete definition of the Medicaid program.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP, Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics Unit. Unpublished Data.

Persons Under Age 21 Receiving Medicaid Only (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children who are eligible recipients of Medicaid, and who are not receiving an AFDC/TANF grant. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 21 in respective geographic areas. Medicaid is a federally funded entitlement program available to eligible children based upon need. It is designed to assist individuals and families who do not have enough income to obtain health care. Medicaid is authorized by Title XIX, a 1965 amendment to the federal Social Security Act. Eligible persons include those receiving AFDC or SSI payments; those terminated by AFDC and in transition for 4-12 months; elderly, blind, or disabled people with low incomes; persons institutionalized, in foster homes, and certain adoptive children; and pregnant women with children to age 6. Medicaid differs from Medicare, which is a federally funded program for the elderly and disabled only.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP, Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics Unit. Unpublished Data.

Children Receiving Free or Reduced-Price Lunch (1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000 Academic Years) are the number of children receiving free or reduced-price lunch at their schools. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of total public school enrollment in respective geographic areas. Children who participate in school-based nutrition programs receive reduced-price or free lunch at their schools (they may also receive reduced-price or free breakfast and/or milk). To receive a reduced-price meal, household income must be below 185% of the federal poverty threshold, as defined by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget. To receive a free meal, household income must be below 130% of the federal poverty threshold. Children in food stamp or AFDC families

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are automatically eligible for free school meals. Families who receive commodity assistance through food distribution programs on Native American reservations are also automatically eligible for free school meals.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction, Child Nutrition and Food Distribution Programs.

Mothers Receiving Inadequate Prenatal Care (1997, 1998, 1999) is the number of infants born to mothers who received inadequate prenatal care. The percentages are the proportion these infants represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. These data are calculated by using both an infant's gestational age at birth and the number of prenatal visits completed by the mother at the time of birth: **a**) gestational age 14-21 weeks with no prenatal visits; **b**) gestational age 22-29 weeks with one or fewer visits; **c**) gestational age 30-31 weeks with two or fewer prenatal visits; **d**) gestational age 32-33 weeks with three or fewer prenatal visits; **e**) gestational age 34+ weeks with 4 or fewer prenatal visits. "Adequate prenatal care" denotes women who began their prenatal care in the first four months of pregnancy and, given the age of gestation at birth, made at least 80% of the recommended physician or clinic visits prior to delivery.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Deaths of Infants Under Age One (1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of deaths occurring for infants under age one, as recorded on death certificates. The percentages are the proportion these deaths represent of total live births in respective geographic areas. Data are reported by the infant's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Deaths of Children Ages 1-19 (1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of deaths for children ages 1-19, as recorded on death certificates. The percentages are the proportion these deaths represent of total deaths in respective geographic areas. Data are reported by the child's county of residence, rather than the location of death.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Children Receiving Food Stamps (FYs 1997, 1998, 1999) are the number of children under age 18 who are eligible recipients of Food Stamps, including migrant children. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas. The Food Stamp Program is a uniform, nationwide program to supplement the nutritional needs of people whose income is at or below the poverty level. Households must meet eligibility requirements. An individual household's food stamp allotment is equal to the maximum allotment for that household's size, less thirty percent of the household's net income.

SOURCE: AFDC, Food Stamps, Medical Assistance, LIHEAP Fiscal Years 1994-1999, North Dakota Department of Human Services, Research and Statistics. Unpublished Data.

High School Dropouts Grades 9-12 (1997-98, 1998-99, 1999-2000 Academic Years) are the number of children in grades 9-12 who have not completed high school and are not enrolled at a given point in time, regardless of when they dropped out. The percentages are the proportion these children represent of total school enrollment for grades 9-12 in respective geographic areas. This number reflects dropout events during a given school year; it does not reflect the success rate for high school students, or the proportion of students who actually graduate four years after they begin high school.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Public Instruction.

Victims of Child Abuse and Neglect (1997, 1998, 1999) are the total number of child victims of abuse and neglect, where services were either required or recommended. (See the definition of "Child Abuse and Neglect Reports" on page 155 for a detailed explanation of service categories.) The percentages are the proportion these children represent of the total child population under age 18 in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Human Services, Division of Children and Family Services.

Out-of-Wedlock Births to Teens Ages 12-19 (1997, 1998, 1999) are births occurring to a mother between ages 12-19 who is not married at the time of conception, at the time of birth, or at any time between conception and birth. The percentages are the proportion these births represent of total live births in respective geographic areas.

SOURCE: North Dakota Department of Health, Office of Vital Records.

Summary

North Dakota KIDS COUNT! data have been collected and reported for the past seven years, pointing to areas where children are facing challenges to their healthy growth and development. This information is used by a variety of planning groups and decision makers in tailoring responses to identified needs. Yet, as one legislator questioned, how does one sort out what children need from the multiple requests for program funds? In answer to this question and those of the numerous professionals, policy makers, parents, and others who pose similar questions, a few basic guidelines may be helpful:

Population and Family Composition

- Families, regardless of their structure or where they live, need resources to ensure their children can thrive. Rural families, in particular, need access to economic, social, and service connections that will allow them to successfully raise their children in all-types of communities.

Economic Security

- Families need jobs that allow them to support their children and access available benefits. Low-income families should be made aware of the economic resources available - such as the Earned Income Tax Credit, Medicaid, Healthy Steps (SCHIP), Food Stamps, WIC, and Head Start - to help them provide for their children's needs and attain self-sufficiency. Establishing eligibility and completing applications should be streamlined to make the process family-friendly.

Child Health

- Children deserve to be born healthy and to receive necessary health care, ensuring their protection from preventable diseases and disabilities. They depend totally on responsible behavior from caring adults to ensure their early health care and education needs are met by committed professionals and parents who understand the impact of early brain development influences. Children with disabilities need access to the supports that will allow them to reach their full potential.

Child Care

- Families with infants and young children should have access to the highest quality care for their children, with subsidization for child care resources that exceed a family's financial capacity. Business and government can form partnerships with families to bolster their ability to care for their children, and business can be rewarded with incentives for their role in supporting employee-parents.

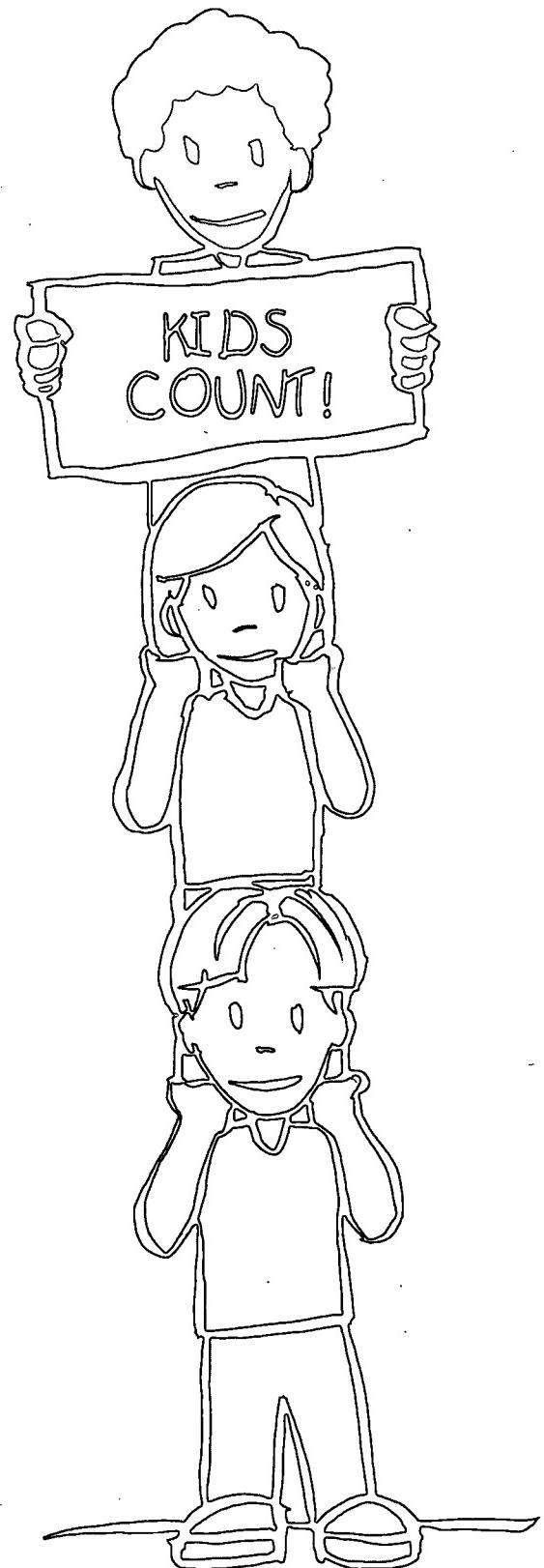
Education

- Children need to start school ready to learn and to attend school in environments equipped with highly qualified teachers and state-of-the-art technology, regardless of school size or location. Every child deserves opportunities for skill-building, socialization, and extracurricular activities that enhance their self-esteem and prepare them to transition to adulthood successfully after completing high school.

Children At Risk

- Families can do a better job of ensuring the safety and well-being of their children, if they are supported with home visiting and similar programs that help parents provide a nurturing environment for their children, free of family violence. Children and youth should be surrounded by networks of caring adults in their home, school, and community environments. Children who break the rules need consequences consistent with the goal of helping them learn responsible behavior to become contributors in society.

Summary



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